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SIX MULTI-ENGINED AIR LINERS LEAVE ENGLAND FOR SPAIN

FOUR FOR REBELS AT SEVILLE

HITLER WORRIED BY TURN OF EVENTS

NEUTRALITY QUESTION NOT TO BE TACKLED HASTILY

London, To-day.

Six multi-engined air-liners left London airports for France and Portugal en route for Spain yesterday, according to the "Evening Standard." It understands that four were purchased for the Spanish rebels and two for the Spanish Government. Four machines flew from Heston and two from Croydon, the latter being Fokker monoplanes with Dutch registration letters, which left Amsterdam for Croydon on Wednesday night.

The paper adds that the agents of the rival Spanish forces offer high cash prices for aeroplanes, while £125 is offered to a pilot for flying a machine to Spain.

The departure of the planes is not confirmed in official quarters, but it is stated that it is not incumbent on civil planes to reveal their destinations before leaving, and the licence for the export of arms does not apply to civil planes, while the French non-interventionary draft, in which civil planes are included, is not yet in force.

Berlin: Herr Hitler is seriously concerned regarding the course of events and is reluctant to take any hasty steps on the question of neutrality. This impression prevails in diplomatic circles. Several times a day reports of the latest news from Spain are sent to Herr Hitler and it is generally believed that he is alarmed by the trend of events. It is reported that he has decided to hold his hand for the moment.

According to German circles Germany is extremely anxious to declare herself neutral, but the delay in doing so is owing to the increasing doubts whether a proper Government still exists in Spain. Moreover, it appears that she has obtained satisfaction for the deaths of the seven Germans killed in the civil war.

DESPERATE SITUATION
Paris: The insurgents claim the capture of the village of Ventas, three kilometres from Irun, according to a message from Burgos, which adds that the situation of the Government supporters in Bilbao is desperate.

"JAIME PRIMERO" SUNK?
Paris: A message from Malaga states that an insurgent aeroplane from Granada bombed the Government battleship Jaime Primo and damaged the bows, killing one sailor and injuring five.

GIBRALTAR: THE INSURGENT WIRELESS STATION'S CLAIM THAT THE JAIME PRIMERO WAS SUNK IS NOT CONFIRMED HERE. It is reported from a usually reliable source that the battleship was hit amidships by a bomb but did not sink.—Reuter.

WARSHIP NOT SUNK
Gibraltar, Later: It is officially affirmed in naval quarters here that a bomb from an aeroplane hit the fore-castle of the Jaime Primo at Malaga, causing serious damage, but the ship was not sunk. The crew of the British destroyer Brilliant, now in Malaga, saw a motor-launch from the Jaime Primo land several wounded.—Reuter.

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HAMURO SETS NEW OLYMPIC RECORD

U.S. ALMOST ASSURED OF BACK-STROKE EVENT

CHINESE SOCCER TEAM BEATEN

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Berlin, To-day.

A new Olympic record of 2 mins. 42.5-10 secs. was set up by the Japanese swimmer Hamuro in the first preliminary heat of the Men's 200 Metres back-stroke event yesterday afternoon. Hamuro easily defeated Sietas (Germany) and Kaye (U.S.), who were clocked at 2 mins. 44.6-10 secs. and 2 mins. 48.5-10 secs. respectively.

The former Olympic record of 2 mins. 44.9-10 secs. was established at the Los Angeles Games in 1932 by Reizo Koike (Japan).

The second preliminary heat was likewise won by a Japanese, Ito, who finished in 2 mins. 45.8-10 secs., followed by Balke (Germany) in 2 mins. 46.4-10 secs. and Jack Kasley (U.S.) in 2 mins. 54.4-10 secs.

The winner of the third heat was Johnny Higgins (U.S.) with 2 mins. 48.8-10 secs., followed by Alpad (Philippines) in 2 mins. 52.6-10 secs. and Jensen (Denmark) in 2 mins. 55.7-10 secs.

The fourth heat was won by Spence (Bermuda) with 2 mins. 52 secs., while Clausen (Canada) and Erbert (Czechoslovakia) were second and third respectively, in 2 mins. 54.7-10 secs. and 2 mins. 55.7-10 secs.

The Japanese R. Koike won the fifth heat in 2 mins. 43.8-10 secs. with Ildefonso (Philippines) second in 2 mins. 47.4-10 secs. and Heine (Germany) third in 2 mins. 48.5-10 secs.

Both semi-finals in the Men's 100 Metres back-stroke event yesterday were won by American swimmers.

In the first semi-final, Adolph Kiefer (U.S.) came in first in 66.8-10 secs., followed by Van der Weghe (U.S.) in 68.8-10 secs. and Oliver (Australia) in 69.4-10 secs., while in the second semi-final Drysdale (U.S.) was placed first in 68.6-10 secs., followed by M. Kiyokawa (Japan) in 69.7-10 secs. and Kojima (Japan) 69.7-10 secs.

DUTCH TRIUMPH
The Final of the Women's 100 Metres back-stroke event yesterday resulted in a great victory for Holland, two Dutch girls, Miss Senff and Miss Mastenbroek, coming first and second, respectively, while the third place was taken by Miss Bridges (U.S.).

Miss Senff was the first to take the lead, but she soon lost it. Towards the end, however, a final spurt saw her win by half a second in 78.9-10 secs. from Miss Mastenbroek, who clocked 79.4-10 secs.

Chinese Soccer Team Lose By 8 To 3
Frankfurt: The Chinese Olympic football team, who lost to Britain 2-0 in the Olympic competition, were beaten by 8 goals to 3 by a representative South West German football eleven in an exhibition match here yesterday.

The Chinese players showed excellent form, particularly the inside forwards, who distinguished themselves, although their shooting lacked the necessary power.

In the first half the Chinese team secured a temporary lead, but after the interval the Germans went ahead, scoring six goals in succession.

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LIST OF MEDAL WINNERS
GERMANY LEADS U.S. BY ONE
JAPAN ONLY EIGHTH
"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Berlin, To-day.

The following is the latest list of Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals so far won by the different countries:—

Germany	21	19	27
United States	20	15	8
Hungary	7	1	3
Finland	6	6	6
Sweden	6	5	5
Italy	6	5	5
France	5	6	4
Japan	4	4	4
Holland	4	3	6
Britain	3	6	2
Czechoslovakia	3	5	0
Austria	3	4	3
Estonia	2	1	3
Egypt	2	1	2
Switzerland	1	3	5
Canada	1	2	1
Norway	1	1	0
Argentina	1	1	0
Turkey	1	0	0
New Zealand	1	0	0
Spain	0	2	2
Lithuania	0	1	1
Yugoslavia	0	1	0
Australia	0	0	1
Belgium	0	0	1
Denmark	0	0	1
Mexico	0	0	1
Philippines	0	0	1

As is seen, Germany still leads, with America in the second place, while Hungary, owing to her victory in sabre-fencing, is now in the third place.

The total number of Bronze Medals conferred on winners is two more than the total Gold or Silver Medals, since two competitors tied for the third place in one of the Gymnastic competitions and because in the football the winner of the Bronze Medal has already been determined, while the winners of the Gold and Silver Medals have yet to be decided.—Trans-Ocean Service.

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rescue work.—Reuter.



Victor Fortune, a former Civil Conservation Corps worker, goes for a swim at Bruckport, New York, with his dog, Idaho, which may be taken to court as having caused the drowning of 14-year-old Russell Breeze by climbing on the boy's shoulders as he was swimming. Fortune claims that the dog was with him at another place when the tragedy occurred.

MADRID ENCIRCLED BY GEN. MOLA'S TROOPS

FRANCO'S ADVANCE UNCHECKED

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Hendaye, To-day.—The close encirclement of Madrid by General Mola's troops is now virtually completed, according to reports reaching here from the northern and southern armies of the insurgents are now in contact. The advance on the capital from Merida is now in full swing, and the city of Guadalajara, 50 km. north of Madrid on the road to Saragossa, has been captured by the rebels.

708TH CASE OF SABOTAGE
Another Derailment On The Palestine Railways

Jerusalem, To-day.

The 708th case of sabotage on the Palestine Railways since the disturbances began occurred yesterday, when another train was derailed, fortunately with no casualties. R.A.F. aircraft bombed armed bands who attacked troops east of Nablus. It is believed that eight casualties, all from direct hits, were inflicted by the planes.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

\$60,000,000 FOR FOUR NEW LINERS
To Combat Foreign Competition In Pacific

Vancouver, To-day.

The expenditure of about \$60,000,000 on the construction of four new liners to meet foreign competition in the Pacific is contemplated, according to unconfirmed reports in shipping circles here.

The new ships would replace the Canadian and Australasian steamers, the Niagara and Aorangi, now in service between Canada, Australia and New Zealand, and the Canadian Pacific trans-Pacific ships, the Empress of Russia and the Empress of Asia.—Reuter.

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Miss Lenore Knight-Wingard (U.S.) above, women's world record holder for the 800 Metres free-style, yesterday qualified for the semi-finals of the 400 Metres event at the Olympic Games swimming championships.

KWANGSI CRISIS

BLOCKADE BY NANKING

May Avoid Bloodshed In This Way

DEFLECTIONS UNLIKELY

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day.

The effective blockade of Kwangsi by land and naval forces is the chief pressure being brought to bear on Generals Li Chung-chen and Pai Hsing-hsi, Kwangsi warlords who refuse to leave their province and accept new posts in Nanking and Hangchow.

General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, is not using force at present against Kwangsi, believing that the blockade will serve the purpose.

The sloop Chungshan and the gunboat Yung Chieh are proceeding up the West River to join the naval blockade of Wuchow.

Generals Li and Pai insist that they remain in Kwangsi to take charge of pacification work as decided by the Second Plenary Session of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee.

They maintain that their subsequent appointments by the Executive Yuan to posts in Nanking and Hangchow are contrary to the decision of the Session.

Mr. Liu Lu-yin, propaganda director of the Nanking and the South-west, who is in Nanking, has suggested the re-opening of the South-west Political Council in Kwangsi, while others propose the admission of other political parties to a new Kwangsi independent government.

All Kwangsi high officers are being watched by agents of General Pai Hsing-hsi, and defection is unlikely.



Sporting Page



K.C.C. SECURE MERITORIOUS BOWLS WIN OVER RECREIO RINKS



Lieut. J. M. Calvert, R.E. left, and Lieut. R. A. Barron, R.E. right, have done much to raise the prestige of the Sappers in Hong Kong Command swimming circles.

EXCELLENT SWIMMING AT V.R.C. GALA

LIEUT. J. M. CALVERT AND MISS V. THIRWELL SHINE

(By "CRAWL")

THE Victoria Recreation Club held another very successful swimming gala yesterday evening, when several closely contested events were witnessed by a good gathering of enthusiastic spectators, despite the poor weather conditions. The outstanding item on the programme was the Men's "B" Class 220 Yards free-style aggregate handicap, which was won by Lieut. J. M. Calvert, who swam an excellently judged race after four consecutive strenuous days of swimming, to beat F. Nolasco Silva and L. M. Silva (to whom he conceded 7 seconds) by a yard in his best time!

AMAR NATH DEMANDS AN ENQUIRY

Unlikely To Play Again In International Cricket

"It is doubtful whether I shall ever play international cricket again," said Amar Nath, the All-India player, who was sent home from England, in an interview with Renter's correspondent at Lahore on his return from Bhopal. "If I am to play for India again the Board of Control must institute an independent inquiry and obtain a public apology from the guilty party, whether that party is myself, the captain or the manager," he added. Amar Nath thought the incident should be judged by K. S. Duleep Singh, former England Test player, and nephew of Ranjitsinhji.

SOUTH CHINA GALA TO-NIGHT

Ladies' Event Open To The Colony

The South China Athletic Association are holding another swimming gala to-night, when the main attraction will be a 400 Metres free-style event open to the Colony.

It is expected that Miss V. Thirwell (V.R.C.), winner of the recent C.B.C. cross-harbour race, will challenge Miss Yeung Sau-chun for first place, while the C.B.C. contingent headed by Miss Leung Yuk-chan, will also offer a strong challenge.

The following is to-night's programme:—Ladies' 400 Metres free-style Open; Men's 200 Metres obstacle relay; Ladies' spoon-and-egg race; Beginners' 50 Metres free-style handicap; 100 Metres free-style for children under 15 years of age; Tug-of-war; aquatic boxing; and carrying-the-lantern. The gala will commence at approximately 7.30 p.m.

THE ST. LEGER

Rhodes Scholar As Favourite

London, To-day. The call-over for the St. Leger, which will be run on Wednesday, September 9, next, is as follows:—

Rhodes Scholar, 11 to 8 o. 6 to 4 t. Mahmoud, 13 to 2 o. 7 to 1 t. Precipitation, 7 to 1 o. 15 to 2 t. Raeburn, 10 to 8 o. 10 to 7 t. Fearless Fox, 22 to 1 t and o. —Renter.

RUNNERS-UP RACE MORE OPEN

GRIMMITT REAPPEARS AS SENIOR SKIP

RECREIO JUNIORS' THREE RECORDS

(By "Skip")

THE Kowloon Cricket Club are in the headlines this week by reason of their splendid victory over Club de Recreio last Saturday. The Portuguese team were fully expected to win and to retain their challenging position in the race for the runners-up position, but as the Kowloon Bowling Green Club were also defeated, the position is "as you were."

The supremacy of Craigengower has been so notable that they have gone serenely on their way, piling up the points week after week, to gain their third consecutive championship. They have been almost secure in their position for some weeks past, a fact which has been duly pointed out, with the result that they are now actually unassailable.

They are to be congratulated on their consistent efforts and their ability, not only to replace seemingly irreplaceable men, who have had for various reasons to drop out from time to time, but also on the grit and determination which has made many of their victories possible.

Reverting to the K.C.C. and Club de Recreio game, it had, as I have implied, rather a surprise result, but one fully in accordance with the play. Silkstone was the big winner, being 20 up on F. X. M. da Silva after leading comfortably all the way. A four on the first head, with a five on the third, gave his team a good send-off, and they never looked back. "Silky" himself playing a great game.

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COLONY OPEN SINGLES BOWLS FINAL TO-DAY

A. E. Coates Favoured To Secure Title

BUT L. A. GUTIERREZ WILL FULLY EXTEND HIM

(By "SKIP")

The Final of the Colony Open Singles Championship is scheduled to be played at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club at 5 p.m. to-day, weather permitting, and will be refereed by Mr. C. B. Hosking, the Hon. Sec. of the Association.

L. A. Gutierrez or A. E. Coates, that is the question! Is there to be a new Open champion of the Colony, or will Gutierrez repeat his success of 1933, when he beat H. Nish to win the coveted honour—an honour which he celebrated by giving a very fine shield to the H.K.L.B.A.

When the last two emerge from an entry of over a hundred, one hesitates to try to pick the winner, especially when, as is the case this year, neither of the players has

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FINCHER'S FEATS



ONE of the best known all-round sportsmen in the Colony is E. C. (Teddy) Fincher, the Colony's opening batsman who has an average of well over 30 in Interport cricket, and who is also one of our leading tennis players. Fincher was educated at the Diocesan Boys' School, where he took part in the school's soccer and tennis games, while he also played a little bit of cricket. While still in school he joined the Civil Service Cricket Club and represented them in the cricket and tennis leagues, and at the age of 17 years won the tennis singles championship of that club. It was in the same year that he first entered the Hong Kong Cricket Club Open tennis championships and he has now taken part in these contests for about 15 years. Though he has reached the finals of both the singles and doubles on three occasions, he has yet to win his first Open title.

In 1925, Fincher transferred to the Kowloon Cricket Club from the Civil Service Cricket Club and he has been their tennis champion since 1926!

Fincher gained his first Interport cricket blazer in 1926 and since then he has figured in all the matches in Hong Kong, while he has represented the Colony at tennis on several occasions, being captain of the 1933 team. Apart from tennis and cricket, Fincher also plays hockey, badminton and billiards, being "better than the average" at all these forms of sport, while he is a regular member of the Kowloon Cricket Club senior lawn bowls team. He played bowls for Kowloon against Shanghai two seasons back when he just missed being picked for the Colony team.

PERRY'S WORLD TOUR

F. J. Perry, Wimbledon lawn tennis champion, left England on August 5 for a nine months' tour of the world, mainly on business. He will go first to New York to try to recapture the American Championship won by Wilmer Allison, then to California, New Zealand and Australia, where he will play in the Australian Championships.

Lawn Bowls Teams For To-morrow

FIRST DIVISION

The following are the First Division bowls teams for to-morrow:—

P.R.C. J. Orm, C. Dowman, W. Greig and W. E. Hollands (skip).
K.B.G.C. L. Glendenning, J. Shepherd, F. E. E. Booker, and S. Logan (skip).
W. S. Dall, F. Channing, W. McKay and W. Mair (skip).
C.S.C.C. A. Steven, W. Ewing, C. Strange and A. W. Grimmitz (skip).
P. E. Knight, J. Gellatly, L. A. Collyer and J. P. Macgowan (skip).
H. M. Purvis, M. N. Rakosen, W. H. Cullips and J. Hollidge (skip).
K.C.C. G. Lee, P. Goodwin, E. G. Craig and A. Hyde-Lay (skip).
F. A. Broadbridge, H. Overy, A. Spary and A. E. Silkstone (skip).
H. Gittins, V. C. Labrum, J. M. Jack and E. C. Fincher (skip).
C.C.C. "A" R. Bass, L. C. R. Souza, A. E. Coates, and R. F. Luz (skip).
P. S. Gomes, M. A. R. Souza, D. Rumbach, and U. M. Omar (skip).
J. S. Landolt, Dr. V. N. Atienza, J. Cavanagh, and C. S. Rosset (skip).

C.C.C. "B"

J. W. Leonard, H. W. Randall, E. M. Omar, and W. K. Way (skip).
J. R. Soares, F. J. Smith, A. M. Omar, and H. V. Penrice (skip).
A. J. Coelho, B. W. Whiteman, E. el Arzulli, and W. V. Field (skip).
K.B.G.C. A. S. Russell, J. Watson, W. Macfarlane and L. Guy (skip).
R. Hall, E. W. Lines, S. Randle and R. Duncan (skip).
S. A. Bright, J. E. Henson, M. J. Henderson and A. M. Holland (skip).

SECOND DIVISION

The following are the Second Division teams for to-morrow:—

P.R.C. G. J. Perkins, H. Brown, E. Cameron and E. H. E. Marks (skip).
W. Campbell, S. Farlow, M. Fraser and A. E. Carey (skip).
J. A. Johnson, G. Gough, C. Pile and J. S. Biddell (skip).
H.K.F.C. "A" Dr. Shaw, F. P. Anslow, V. Walker and J. Russell (skip).
R. P. Shaw, G. S. Rodger, J. Beach and C. B. Robertson (skip).
E. Strange, W. Kershaw, G. S. Graver and J. Rodger (skip).

H.K.F.C. "B"

A. W. Hayward, S. H. Strange, P. Morgan and J. A. E. Selby (skip).
J. S. Howell, H. G. Wallington, N. M. Currie and F. H. W. Haynes (skip).
J. Dobson, J. H. Gelling, E. S. Carter and E. J. Edwards (skip).
C.S.C.C. A. Bower, M. Cunietti, H. Westlake and H. F. Westlake Jr. (skip).
J. Fennelly, J. Carr, W. Hillier and H. Harper, M. E. Purvis, H. Strange and R. R. Wood (skip).
W. Stoker, T. P. Saunders, A. Webster and W. B. Muskett (skip).
V. Sorby, J. L. King, G. T. Padgett and A. F. Paul (skip).
J. H. Barron, G. G. S. Thomson, J. K. Sloan and S. Deacon (skip).
Reserve:—H. S. Jones.

K.C.C.

C. W. Fletcher, J. R. Canning, R. P. Phillips and W. W. Hirst (skip).
A. Nissim, A. T. Lay, L. E. Lamert and L. Jack (skip).

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OMAR CREEPING UP ON DUNCAN

ROSE'S UNASSAILABLE POSITION

COMPLETE LEAGUE SKIP RECORDS

The following are the complete records of all senior and junior skips in the League this season to date:—

	FIRST DIVISION										SHOTS										UP	Down	Pts.						
	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	UP	Down	Pts.	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	UP	Down	Pts.	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	UP	Down	Pts.		
R. Duncan (K.B.G.C.)	14	10	4	0	300	233	67	0	20	H. Rose (K.B.G.C.)	15	13	2	0	383	218	165	0	26	U. M. Omar (C.C.C. "A")	15	10	5	0	320	272	48	0	20
U. M. Omar (C.C.C. "A")	15	10	5	0	320	272	48	0	20	G. E. F. Thompson (K.B.G.C.)	15	13	2	0	337	256	81	0	26	W. E. Hollands (P.R.C.)	14	9	4	1	292	260	32	0	19
W. E. Hollands (P.R.C.)	14	9	4	1	292	260	32	0	19	F. X. Soares (Recreio)	14	10	4	0	320	222	98	0	20	R. F. Luz (C.C.C. "A")	15	9	5	1	337	242	95	0	19
R. F. Luz (C.C.C. "A")	15	9	5	1	337	242	95	0	19	G. H. Sherriff (K.B.G.C.)	14	9	5	0	318	231	87	0	18	J. Fraser (K.C.C.)	8	8	0	0	184	121	63	0	16
J. Fraser (K.C.C.)	8	8	0	0	184	121	63	0	16	J. Rodger (H.K.F.C. "A")	14	9	5	0	316	249	67	0	18	F. Jones (C.S.C.C.)	12	8	4	0	258	236	22	0	16
F. Jones (C.S.C.C.)	12	8	4	0	258	236	22	0	16	H. F. Westlake Jr. (C.S.C.C.)	12	8	4	0	238	217	21	0	16	H. A. Alves (Recreio)	13	8	5	0	293	209	84	0	16
H. A. Alves (Recreio)	13	8	5	0	293	209	84	0	16	A. E. Carey (P.R.C.)	10	7	3	0	207	202	5	0	14	A. M. Holland (K.B.G.C.)	14	8	6	0	267	220	47	0	16
A. M. Holland (K.B.G.C.)	14	8	6	0	267	220	47	0	16	W. Ward (C.C.C.)	14	7	7	0	254	275	0	21	14	C. S. Rosset (C.C.C. "B")	10	7	3	0	220	178	42	0	14
C. S. Rosset (C.C.C. "B")	10	7	3	0	220	178	42	0	14	Y. Abbas (C.C.C.)	11	6	5	0	212	202	10	0	12	W. Gill (C.C.C. "B")	11	7	4	0	214	223	0	9	14
W. Gill (C.C.C. "B")	11	7	4	0	214	223	0	9	14	J. A. Selby (H.K.F.C. "B")	14	6	8	0	255	309	0	54	12	A. Hyde-Lay (K.C.C.)	15	7	8	0	291	277	14	0	14
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L. Guy (K.B.G.C.)	13	6	6	1	258	274	0	16	13	A. E. Silkstone (K.C.C.)	5	4	1	0	109	72	37	0	8	W. V. Field (C.C.C. "B")	11	3	5	1	215	199	16	0	11
W. V. Field (C.C.C. "B")	11	3	5	1	215	199	16	0	11	S. Logan (P.R.C.)	7	4	3	0	143	141	2	0	8	M. Y. Adal (L.R.C.)	11	3	5	1	205	229	0	24	11
M. Y. Adal (L.R.C.)	11	3	5	1	205	229	0	24	11	A. Stevenson (H.K.F.C.)	7	4	3	0	130	144	0	14	8	J. McKelvie (K.D.R.C.)	12	5	5	1	231	149	0	13	11
J. McKelvie (K.D.R.C.)	12	5	5	1	231	149	0	13	11	H. H. Marks (P.R.C.)	8	4	4	0	165	161	4	0	8	R. Wallace (K.D.R.C.)	10	4	4	2	188	191	0	3	10
R. Wallace (K.D.R.C.)	10	4	4	2	188	191	0	3	10	J. M. Jack (K.C.C.)	10	4	4	0	166	168	0	2	8	C. G. Silva (Recreio)	13	5	8	0	247	231	16	0	10
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J. F. Macgowan (C.S.C.C.)	8	4	4	0	164	168	0	4	8	S. Logan (P.R.C.)	7	4	3	0	143	141	2	0	8	S. Logan (P.R.C.)	7	4	3	0	143	141	2	0	8
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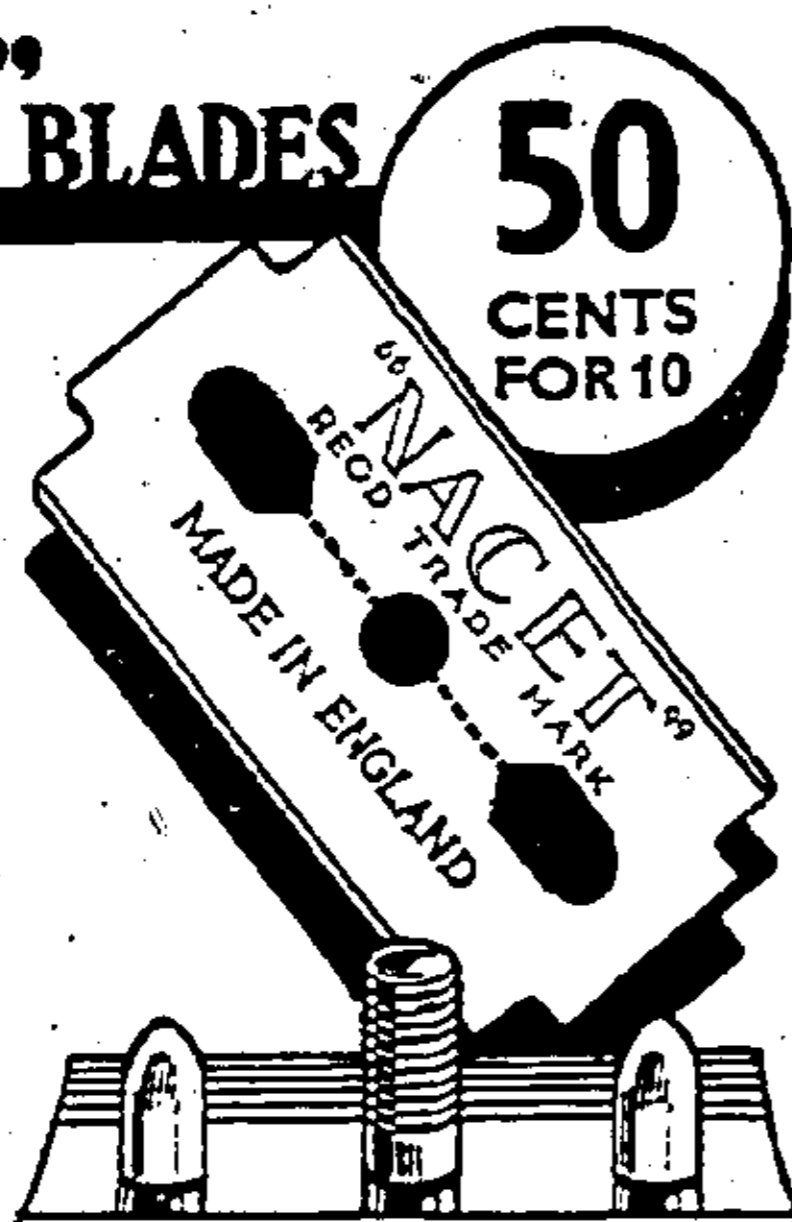
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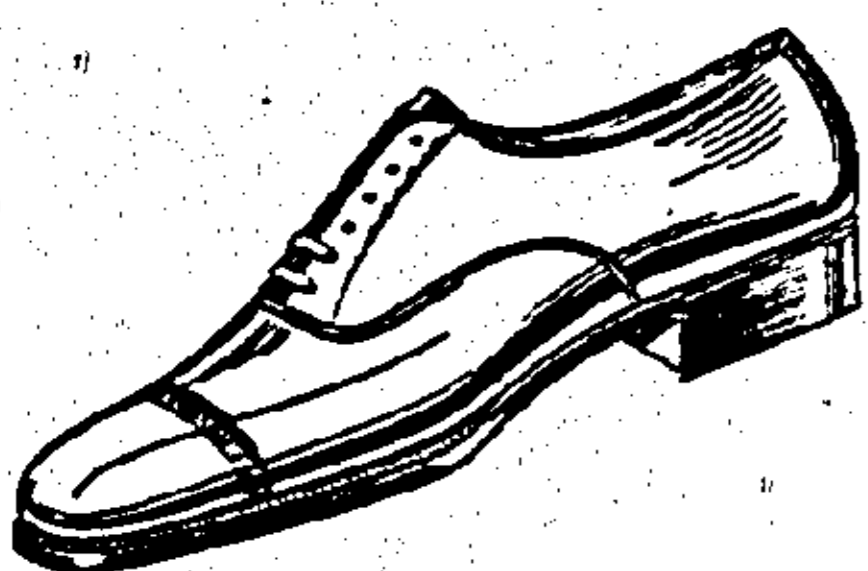
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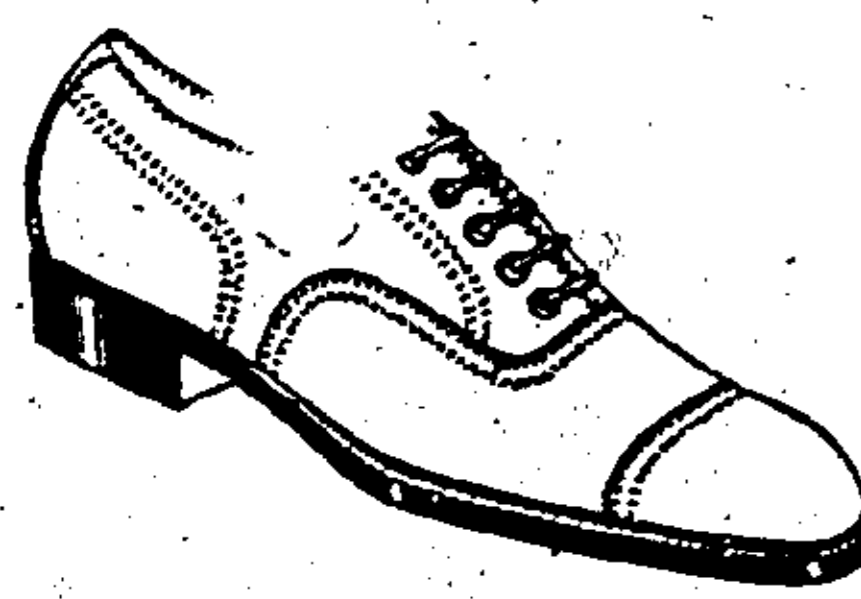


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Sequel To Match
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SIDE WITHDRAW FROM
TOURNAMENT

(By R. SHEEPSEAKS)

London, July 21.
It was announced yesterday that Mr. E. H. Tyrrell-Martin, captain of England's polo team against America in the recent Westchester Cup contest, has been suspended by the Hurlingham Committee from continuing to play in this year's Champion Cup tournament, the most important event of the English polo season.

When this was announced the U.S. team, Texas Rangers, in which Mr. Tyrrell-Martin was playing, withdrew from the Champion Cup final. Templeton, the other finalists, received a walk-over.

The official notice, posted at Hurlingham reads:

The Hurlingham Polo Club Committee suspend Mr. E. H. Tyrrell-Martin from continuing to play in the Champion Cup 1936, for conduct in that tournament prejudicial to the game.

Struck Opponent

The conduct of which Mr. Tyrrell-Martin was found guilty is that of striking Mr. H. H. Hughes, a member of the opposing side, during the play in the semi-final of the Champion Cup between the Texas Ranger, Mr. Tyrrell-Martin's side, and the Optimists last Saturday.

Opinions will differ as to the necessity of so severe a sentence. In a very keen game in the semi-final tie Mr. Tyrrell-Martin was seen to swing his stick round to hit Mr. Hughes. The two players shook hands afterwards, leaving the unfortunate occurrence, as everyone imagined, merely a passing incident.

In Heat Of Moment

Polo is a game which is played at so great a pace that players often say and do things in the heat of the moment which would be unpardonable if done deliberately, but which are usually atoned for by a friendly apology at the end of the chukker.

This was such a case, the more so because both the parties were members of the England polo team which made such a fine fight against America in the recent international matches.

The suspension applies only to this particular tournament, and Mr. Tyrrell-Martin is entitled to appear for the Texas Rangers in the final tie of the Rochester open cup tournament.

LAWN BOWLS TEAMS FOR TO-MORROW

(Continued from Page 2)

J. S. Dinnen, S. J. Houghton, C. J. Taechi and T. W. Carr (skip).

D. K. Kharas, F. X. Delgado, W. Phelps, and A. E. S. Alves (skip).

H. P. Karanjia, E. McNay, W. J. Bagley, and W. Ward (skip).

J. Pau, W. H. Atkins, J. Fitzgerald, and Y. Abbas (skip).

Reserves—H. J. Tollervey, and A. B. Hamson.

W. L. Walker, K. C. Hamilton, C. B. Hosking and H. E. Rose (skip).

B. S. Rogers, S. M. White, J. G. Meyer and G. E. Sheriff (skip).

F. A. Cheesman, R. O. Read, J. C. Gill and G. E. F. Thompson (skip).

during the last two weeks.

Club de Recreo are also away, playing Craigengower, and the League position should remain the same as the visitors appear to be the likely winners.

Yachtmen Falter

The Yacht Club seem to have lost their form after a brilliant patch midway through the season, and I do not think they will be able to hold the Police juniors, although they are at home.

The Electricians have an even chance of securing a win against the Football Club "A", and I think they will do it.

Football Club "B" entertain the Civil Service and should just win! The soccerites will have memories of their fine win last Saturday to spur them on.

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Wong Mei-shun, left, and Tsui Ah-fai, right, gave splendid performances in the intermediate line for China against Great Britain, in the First Round of the Olympic soccer tournament, when Britain won by two clear goals scored after a goalless first half.



TRAINING STARTED AT THE VALLEY

YO HO LOOKING FIT AGAIN

(By "RAPIER")

Training for the Seventh Extra Race Meeting of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, to be held on Saturday, September 26, has started, although some of the more prominent ponies have yet to make an appearance. Most of the ponies that went away for the summer have now returned, with the exception of those in the Hem Stable, which are still at Fanling.

"DIAMOND GOSSIP"

PUI CHING
CERTAIN FOR
LEAGUE TITLE

The Amalgamation
Question

GOOD WEEK-END CARD

(By "INFIELD")

The local Baseball League season is fast drawing to a close and with the U. S. Navy teams out of the reckoning the race for championship honours is proving very interesting.

Pui Ching Academy, Canton, having played 11 matches, won 9 and lost 2, while the Overseas Chinese and the Japanese are fighting it out for the runners-up berth, the former having played 8, won 5 and lost 3, while the latter, with a game in hand, have won 4 and lost 3.

The surprise last-minute amalgamation between the Americans and the Canadians last Saturday afternoon came as a shock to many, and, while appreciating the fact that the main objective of the League Committee is to get the season over, the added strength to the new combine will probably play a large part in determining the championship.

In Ignorance
Although Eastern agreed to the Americans' permission to include several Canadians in their line-up, many other followers of the game were in total ignorance of the fact that the teams had combined. There was one serious breach of the rules—that a player must programme to a conclusion.

MACAU SUBS NOW IN TRAINING

The following are the Macau subscription Griffins now in training for the meeting to be held in the Portuguese colony on September 13:

Owner	Name	Height	Colour	Brand No.
Li Lan Sang	Wild Flower	13.0	Grey	P/1199
Li Lan Sang	City Life	13.0	Grey	F/107
Li Lan Sang	Old Life	13.1	Grey	F/109
Li Lan Sang	Merry Fatty	13.0	Grey	G/533
Ko Yick Chim	Lonely Heart	13.0	Grey	G/456
Ko Yick Chim	Shih Yin Grand	13.0	Black	P/1014
Li Tse Fong	Victory Life	13.1	Black	F/114
G. H. Potts	Hogmanay	13.1	Grey	F/891
S. Y. Liang	Wentworth	13.0	Grey	F/243
H. Y. Liang	Eastlight	13.0	Grey	F/305
F. J. Gellion	So Ho Song	13.0	Grey	G/91
Yeung Wing Hong	Merry Doe	13.1	Grey	V/696
H. E. The Governor	Courneur Bleu	13.0	Grey	G/104
Li Shiu Pang	White Lies	13.1	Grey	G/393
G. H. Potts	Brown Bee	13.1	Brown	F/282
Yeung Wing Hong	Diamond	13.3	Grey	P/639
J. A. Victor	Shanghai Four	13.0	Grey	P/1213
Sports	Hurdling Morn	12.3	Grey	Z/451
Bradley	Rothsary Bay	13.3	Bay	F/38
C. F. Chiu	Satfordford	13.0	Dun	G/184
G. H. Potts	Bachelorship	13.2	Grey	F/268
	Gold Reserve	13.0	Dun	G/53

CHINA'S FORWARDS THROW AWAY 3 CHANCES GT. BRITAIN WORTHY WINNERS

LOSERS' DEFENCE SHINE
THROUGHOUT CLASH

TSO KWAI-SHING'S FAILURE

Berlin, August 7.

PLAYING on the whole a better brand of football than was generally anticipated in the face of superior opponents, China lost to Great Britain by 2 goals to nil yesterday afternoon in the first round of the Olympic soccer championship after a goalless first half.

The thrilling contest which opened at 5.30 p.m. was witnessed by over 10,000 enthusiasts. Britain's two winning goals were scored in the second half, the first 11 minutes after play had been resumed and the second 21 minutes after the restart.

Despite the fact that the British team did most of the attacking, the Chinese custodian Pau Ka-ping and the two full-backs, Tam Kong-pak and Lee Ting-sang, with the assistance of the middle line of defence, put up a spirited resistance.

On the resumption of play in the second half, the Chinese players staged a series of well-co-ordinated attacks, but all the onslaughts were cleared by the British goalkeeper, who played a calm and steady game.

First Blood

As in the first half, the winning team monopolised much of the play in the second, their entire forward securing first blood by placing the ball into the Chinese net in the 11th minute. Ten minutes later the British inside-left scored the second goal.

In the last 25 minutes of play the Chinese made great efforts in retaliation, but three excellent chances were missed. The first was when Lee Wai-tong, the Chinese football idol, miskicked when nearing the British goal.

Suen Kam-shun and Fung King-cheong, respective left and right inside forwards, were responsible for the loss of the other two opportunities, both failing to score from close range.

As a whole the British team deserved its victory, excelling in teamwork and defence, particularly their skillful heading both in defence and attack.

On the Chinese side, Tam Kong-pak, the left full-back, drew the most applause from the spectators by his excellent play, while Tso Kwai-shing, the right-wing, was in his worst form. Being closely watched, Lee Wai-tong was not able to do much.—Central News.

COLONY OPEN SINGLES BOWLS FINAL TO-DAY

(Continued from Page 2)

been specially favoured by the draw.

Both men have had to fight for their successes and Coates will not soon forget his game with Hyde-Lay.

Coates played lead for Craigengower "A" team for some years as did Gutierrez for Club de Recreo, but this season they have both been playing in different positions, Coates as a No. 3, whilst the Portuguese player has been trying his hand at skipping—and quite successfully too.

Chopping And Changing

To players of their calibre, presumably, this chopping and changing around does not make much difference, although I should say it is an advantage to specialise in the skillful art of drawing to the "jack" all the time.

Strange enough, neither player was fully extended, in the semi-final round! True, Coates was trailing his opponent at one time, but he was playing confidently enough to pull up and win, whilst Gutierrez had very little opposition from a club-mate in Dick Alves, who had one of his very rare "off days." It is an even money bet, but I fancy that Coates will win by a very small margin.

The following summary shows how they reached the final—

A. E. Coates (C.C.C. "A"):	21-18
beat J. P. McGowan	21-18
beat T. Ferguson	21-10
beat W. Marr	21-10
beat P. E. Knight	21-14
beat A. Hyde-Lay	22-18
beat A. W. Grimmit	21-20
L. A. Gutierrez (Recreo):	21-20
Drew a bye	21-10
beat F. X. Silva	21-10
beat N. J. Bebbington	21-16
beat A. S. Gomes	21-15
beat J. Shepherd	21-15
beat H. A. Alves	22-17



Pau Ka-ping, above, was in splendid fettle between the sticks for China in the Olympic soccer match against Great Britain.

NICHOLS TAKES BENEFIT

Century Against Kent
At Southend

KENNETH FARNES IN FORM

London, To-day.

Essex scored their sixth win of the season when they met Kent at Southend and surprisingly won by the large margin of an innings and 216 runs.

The match was a "benefit" one for M. S. Nichols, and it proved a success in more ways than one, the player concerned scoring 110 runs towards his side's total of 465.

Jack O'Connor was also in fine form, knocking up 100 runs. Another feature of the match was the welcome return to form of Kenneth Farnes, the fast bowler who had only recently been selected for the Australian tour and who was kept out of the game the whole of last season owing to knee trouble. The scores were:—

Essex: 465 (Nichols 110, O'Connor 100; Freeman 6 for 92).

Kent: 115 and 98 (K. Farnes 5 for 69).—Reuter.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

Pirates And Giants
Triumph

New York, To-day.

The following were the results of the League baseball matches played yesterday:—

National League	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	4	7	0
Pittsburgh	5	8	2

American League	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	14	0
Atwood hit a homer.			

International League	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	9	2
Ripple and Jackson hit homers.			

There were no other games scheduled in the National League.

American League	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	10	0
Solters hit a homer.			

American League	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	7	0
Detroit	0	4	1
Cleveland	8	12	0

There were no other games scheduled in the American League.—Reuter.

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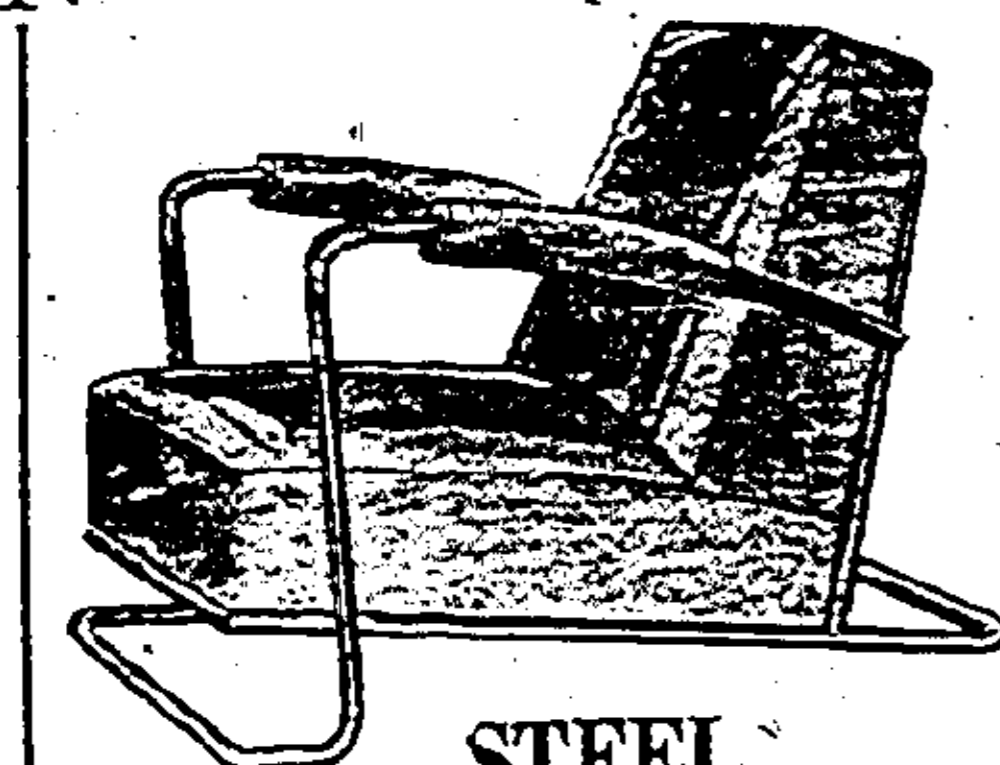
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Stuff Of Dreams

Everyone has heard the story of the poet who enquired whether the Editor was in or not. On being told that he was not, he handed his contribution to the office-boy with the remark: "Then just put that in the wastepaper basket, will you." The anecdote seems to express very well the general light in which versifiers are held: seldom taken seriously, invariably reviled, a downtrodden, meek section of humanity lacking all the essential virtues that go to make material success. It is rather surprising, therefore, to read, in the report of Mr. Stanley Baldwin's recent speech as Chancellor of Cambridge University to the Empire Universities Congress, of his appeal for more poets. To one unfamiliar with the context of his talk the remark might come with something of a shock. But, of course, he was alluding to what a London paper calls the "science and Pol. Econ.-ridden age," and his plea was for singers "who will inspire Europe and the world once more with a sense of unity and a sense of freedom."

Poets, we all know, are born and not made; but there is undoubtedly something to be said for the abandonment of the "science and Pol. Econ.-ridden" outlook and the active cultivation of the type of mind that can see beauty in the simple things of the spirit and poetry in babbling brooks. Because in the long run it is the idealists and dreamers, constantly striving towards perfection in the mundane things of this world, who leave their influence to be felt on the commonplaces of human relationships. Theirs is the inner vision which transcends outward trappings and is concerned with the ultimate truth of an idea; whose skill translates drab monotony into something approaching blessed escape. There is more permanence in the least of Shakespeare's sonnets than in all your stupid and bombastic nonsense about "race purity," when tinpot dictators are nothing but an unpleasant memory the real singers of life will be commemorated, loved and quoted. But they will be the real singers, not the sort who produce a Newdigate prize poem once in their lives and are never heard of again. Living poetry is a stuff that cannot be taught. It either bubbles up like a natural spring or it comes with a great gush. There is always behind it a strength of philosophy, some singleness of purpose or outlook, which is as a consuming fire and cleanses all that it touches. It is impossible to read such a poem as, for instance, "The Hound of Heaven," without a feeling of tremendous uplift and a sort of reverential awe. Here are the inner workings of a storm-tossed soul laid bare and, at the close, such a calm serenity of valiant resignation as must tremendously influence all who contemplate it. There is a no less magnificent conception behind "The Testament of Beauty," which for its technical innovations no less than for its ennobling quality caused such a stir when the late Poet Laureate first produced the work some years ago.

These and other manifestations of the true poetic spirit in all its grandeur effectually decry the complaisant and patronising attitude which the unlettered so often display towards poets and which the anecdote at the head of this

OBITUARY

Sudden Death Of Mr. C. A. da Roza

PROMINENT BULLION BROKER

The death took place at his residence, Solar de Roza, May Road, yesterday, of Mr. Carlos Argusto da Roza, the well-known local bullion broker and head of the firm of Messrs. Roza Brothers. Mr. da Roza had been ill for four days before his death and had left his office earlier in the week complaining of illness. Yesterday, however, the doctor attending Mr. da Roza found him much better and the patient himself said he felt well on the way to recovery. At 4.45 p.m., he felt worse and phoned his brother, Mr. A. W. da Roza, to tell him to come to Solar de Roza. Mr. da Roza then went to his room preparatory to going to bed, but as he reached his bed he fell forward and died before his brother could reach the house. His death was due to heart failure.

Early Career

Mr. da Roza was born in Hong Kong on March 3, 1884, and was educated first at St. Joseph's College and later at St. Xavier's College, Shanghai. He joined Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews as an assistant in 1900, but left for England some time later and while there became an incorporated accountant and a member of the A.S.A. He was in England several years, and on returning to Hong Kong left Lowe, Bingham and Matthews in 1915 and started on his own account. In 1915 he became a bill and bullion (exchange) broker and founded Roza Bros., in which he was helped by his brother Mr. A. W. da Roza.

Besides the widow and four children, the deceased is survived by two brothers, Mr. A. W. da Roza, the remaining partner of Roza Bros., and Mr. "Gus" da Roza, well-known member of the Jockey Club.

The funeral takes place this afternoon, passing the Monument at 5.30 p.m.

OBITUARY

Lord Banbury Of Southam

London, To-day.

The death has occurred of Lord Banbury.—Reuter.

Frederick George Banbury, first Baron Banbury of Southam (or, 1924), was the late Chairman of the Great Northern Railway. He represented Peckham in the Conservative interest from 1892 to 1906, and was Conservative M.P. for the City of London from 1906 to 1924. He was created a Baronet in 1902 and a Privy Councillor in 1916.

London: Lord Banbury was conspicuous for his uncompromising opposition to modern tendencies in politics and had the reputation of having blocked the passage of more private bills than any other living member.—British Wireless Service.

Sir Harry Preston

London, To-day.—The death occurred yesterday of Sir Harry Preston, the Brighton hotel proprietor, sportsman, sponsor of charity boxing tournaments and outstanding personality with a great number of friends in all walks of life. In 1927 he received a presentation Silver Chippendale salver engraved with 126 names, including that of the present King as the Prince of Wales. He was born in 1860 and received his Knighthood in 1933.—British Wireless Service.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Luke, who were married last Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rondon and Mr. G. E. R. Divett were amongst the passengers who left the Colony yesterday by the s.s. Tatsuta Maru for Los Angeles via ports.

article portrays. The poet is not concerned with the relatively unimportant things of life—whether your maternal grandmother was or was not a Jew; whether South China will win the Football League or not. His concern is with those spiritual things that complement the aesthetic and emotional side of existence—the influence of everything that is beautiful and honest and true. Let us abjure the "Pol. Econ.-ridden" mentality and encourage the dreamers to convey to us all the stuff that dreams are made on. That way lies true serenity and repose.

A SLEEP WALKER'S DILEMMAS

"EMBARRASSMENT AND DISCOURAGEMENT"
TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS OF A SOMNAMBULIST

(By Dale X. Hayden)

A Somnambulist am I—but not ing into difficulty. But at times I have not been able to anticipate trouble.

Peculiar Feature

There is one feature concerning my somnambulism which seems to be peculiar to myself; I have never heard of it in anyone else. Just as one is often reminded of a forgotten dream by some sight, or sound, or even smell, so am I reminded after my walks of faces or places I have "seen" in my sleep.

I well remember the first experience I had of walking in my sleep. I had returned from school rather elated, having gained some distinction or other, and though only eight, had the idea that I was a man and therefore entitled to all man's rights and privileges. Imagine my disappointment, then, to be informed that I should not be permitted to stay up late that evening to see a group of friends who were to call on my parents! It was a humiliating and downcast youngster who reluctantly crawled into his bed that night and fell asleep to the drone of voices drifting up from the parlour below.

I Am Nonchalant

But if I have not won fame I can at least claim originality. The traditional attitude in sleep-walking is the slow, stealthy gait, the outstretched arm and wide-open eyes. There are, it is true, slight variations from this, but I defy all these rules. I despise convention—when asleep. As a matter of fact, several friends have threatened to disown me unless I improve my manners by at least unhooking my thumbs from my pyjama girdle and tipping my hat (I invariably wear a hat) to my superiors and the ladies in chance to pass. My nonchalance, they aver, approaches insubordination, and my negligence, "immodesty." And were it not for the fact that my walk is somewhat slower and my motions unusually rhythmic, they could hardly detect that I was asleep.

Though I have never bothered to study somnambulism to find a cure, it is quite evident that my tendency to sleepwalk invariably accompanies worry or anxiety, excessive physical or mental weariness, and is greater on moonlight nights; consequently, by a little forethought and preparation, I usually prevent myself from getting of the windmill. As there was

EXPLANATION OF TO-DAY'S CARTOON

The Queen Mary's Rudder

THE largest rudder ever carried by any ship now hangs at the stern of the superliner Queen Mary, ready, like a giant fish tail, to compel the waters to obey its slightest turn.

Some idea of the high metal strength of this huge rudder, may be gained when it is realised that it must control no less than 80,773 gross tons, the tonnage of the great Cunard White Star sea queen. The rudder with frame, weighs 270 tons, which is 90 tons heavier than the entire weight of the Pilgrim ship "MAYFLOWER."

Interesting features of the Queen Mary's rudder are the two doors which have been fitted into the sides, and the permanent steel ladder running through the "compartment" enclosed by the steel walls of the rudder. Inside there is ample room for several men to walk about. Struts and bars hold all rigidly in place.

The great rudder hangs between the lower two of the ship's four big propellers, each of which weighs 35 tons.

neither time nor opportunity to slip up and retrieve it, I went to bed that night worrying about my jersey. What was my surprise the next morning on making my bed to discover it beneath my pillow! Strange to say, when I saw the jersey, there came to my memory like a flash the view of the moonlight-flooded town from the top of the windmill. And I had never climbed it before!

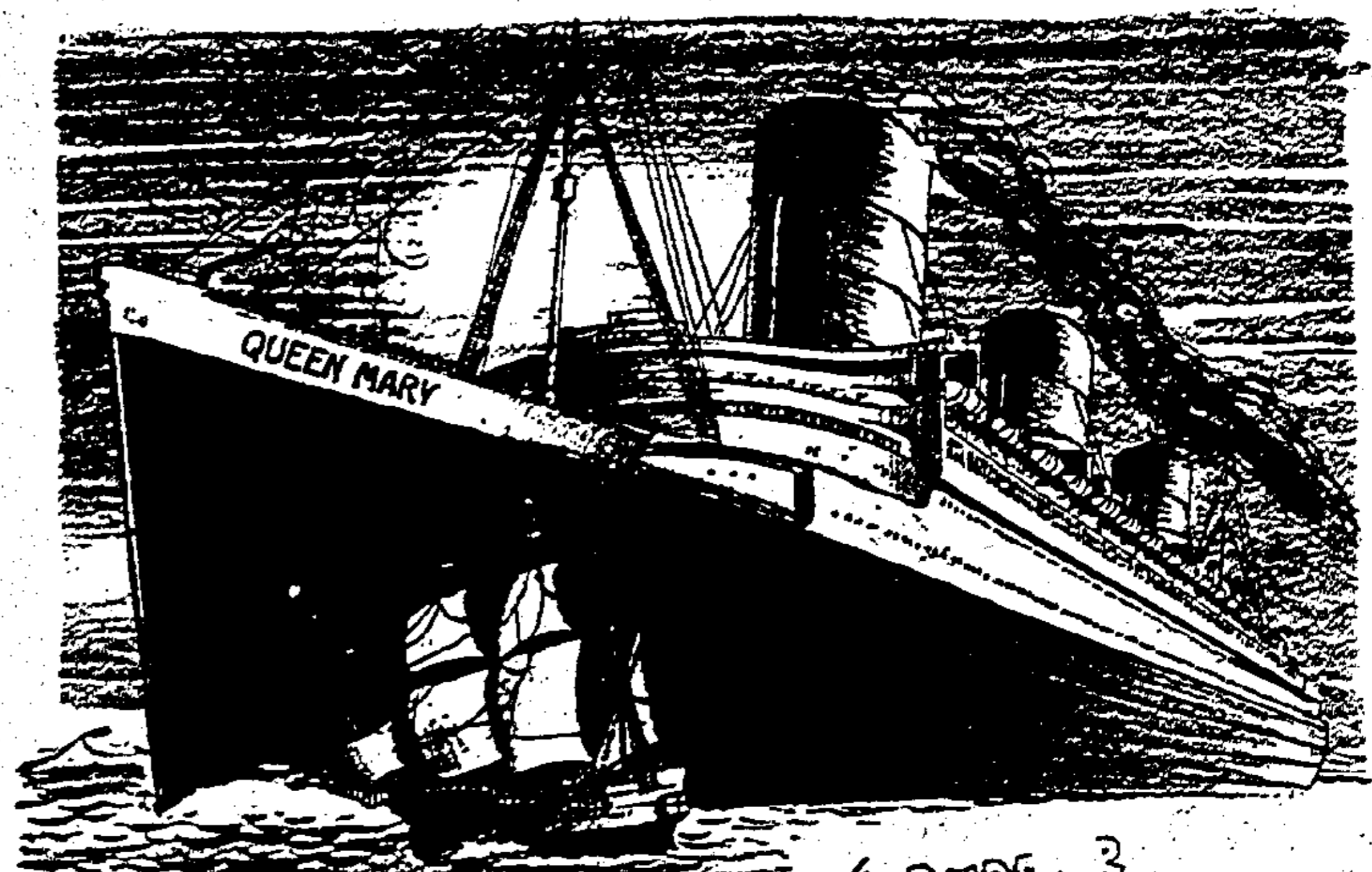
Delicate Situations

My nocturnal wanderings have at times involved me in situations which have been both delicate and embarrassing, and from which, had they been known, only a great deal of explanation and persuasion could have extricated me. Once, as a matter of fact, it became necessary for me to enlist the services of a specialist to prove my innocence.

I was at the time attending a co-educational college abroad and was sharing a room with a friend in the men's hostel. Fortunately he was acquainted with my habits. As the term examinations were just over my mind was fatigued, so, as usual at such times, before retiring I asked my room-mate to lock our door and hide the key. This, however, he forgot to do, and that evening I took a stroll.

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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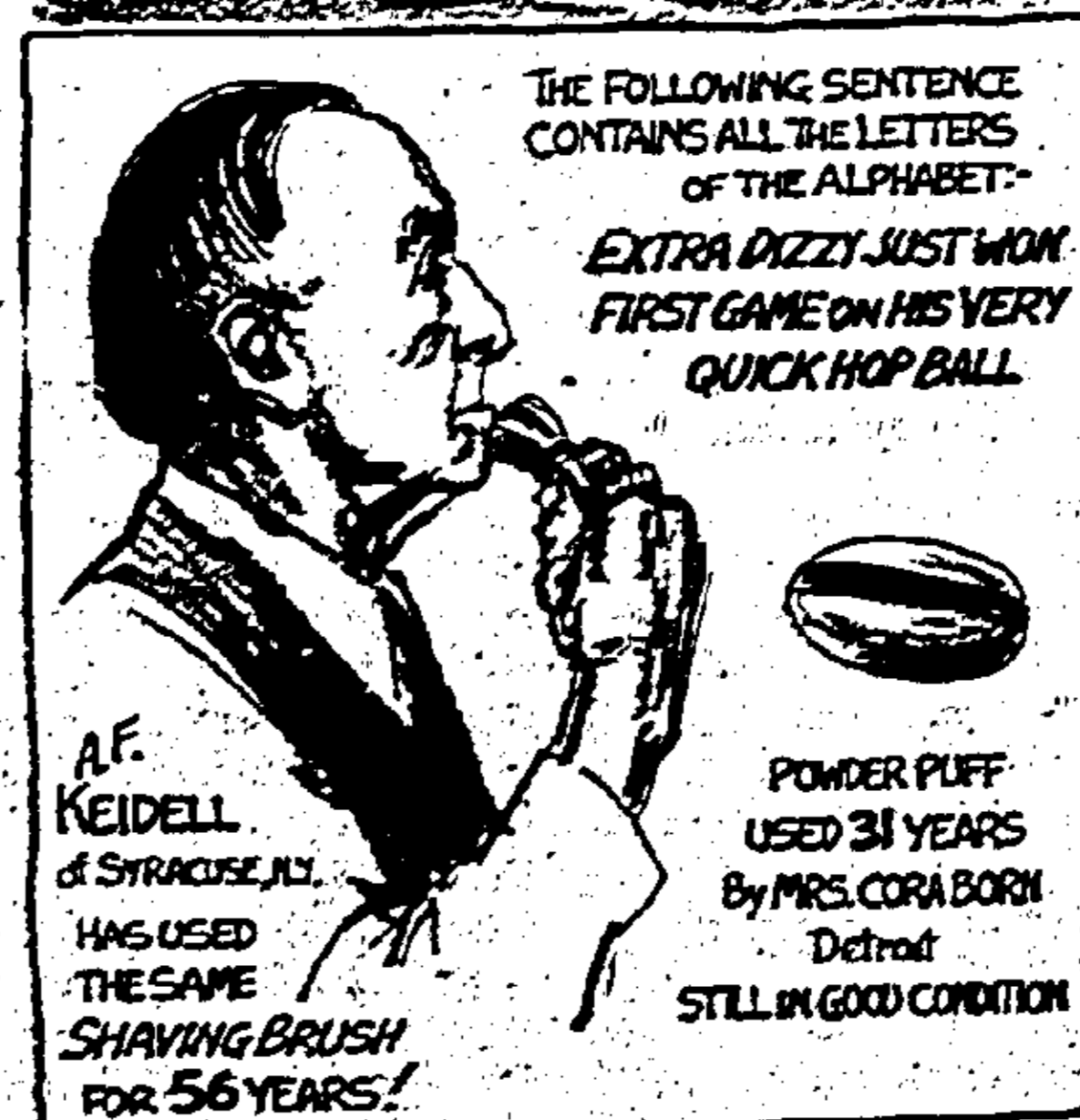
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A SLEEP WALKER'S DILEMMAS

(Continued from Page 4)

Exactly where I went will never be fully known, but I was first seen by the night watchman within a short distance of the girls' hostel, walking in the moonlight toward the men's home some hundred paces away. He, too, knew of my affliction, but as he was not sure whether the pyjama-clad figure wearing the "frosh" cap was actually me, he began to approach to find out. Unfortunately, just as he drew near I stepped into a puddle of water around a leaky tap and awoke instantly. For a moment I was overcome with shock and weakness, and was unable to move; but I soon realised my circumstances and dashed into the men's hostel, not knowing that I was watched. The night watchman, of course, interpreted this as a deliberate attempt to escape from him and concluded that I had been conscious all the time.

Authorities Convinced

Luckily the authorities were eventually convinced of the facts of the case and I was exonerated. But I still wonder where I went, especially since there is to this day indelibly impressed upon me the memory of having that night climbed through a window somewhere or other. Perhaps it was my own, but I wonder....

In 1931, after a year's teaching in Northern Saskatchewan, I decided to return home to South Africa to take up an appointment. While my family went to Southern California to visit relatives before our departure from Montreal, I remained in Saskatchewan, to wind up our affairs and pack our household effects for shipment.

A strenuous day was over and most of my packing was complete. There remained, however, the piano to be put in its case, and this was the biggest job of all, as I was alone. As I lay in bed that evening and outlined my work for the next day, I decided that the first task was to bring to the house the seven sections of the piano box I had made over at the school workshop. Then, having no one around the piano, brace it, tag it, and....

Six Return Trips

...And when I awoke the next morning I saw on the floor next to my bed a discarded old wide-brimmed straw hat my wife had used when working in the garden. It had not been there when I retired. My eyes wandered to my slippers. They were damp and bore traces of having been through sand. I could not restrain a chuckle. It was easy to guess what had happened. Walking over to the window I looked out, and sure enough, there on the lawn below lay all the parts but one of the piano box. I had made six return trips to the workshop and had probably been walking for 30 minutes.

The experience which came to me a few weeks later was more embarrassing and fraught with more potential danger than any other I have ever had. The year was approaching mid-summer, and our ship was near the equator. I had torn off my pyjama jacket and lay in my bunk now tossing and fro in desperation, now remaining motionless in an endeavour to sleep; but counting, instead of the usual sheep passing through the gate, the drops of perspiration that chased one another down my face, my arms and my chest.

Forbidden

How I longed to be up on deck. But that was forbidden. If only I could take a stroll up there and perhaps catch just a little cool breeze! My pillow seemed to generate heat and the sheet under me was dank and clung to my body. At last I fell asleep.

Have you ever stood upon the edge of a precipice on a windy day and looked over and then been overpowered with a nameless terror which seemed to draw you on, on, till your head began to swim? That is approximately how I felt when I awoke suddenly; and that is the sensation which sweeps over me to this day whenever I think of the occasion. It is true that I was standing at the head of the staircase leading down to the first class lounge, but it wasn't that that caused the vacant, helpless feeling. It was the shock from the sudden awakening. Why I awoke there, I do not know, but I think my subconscious self must have discovered that it was lost.

Strange Appearance

When I was able to collect my



Miss Getty, one of the charming stars of The Grubel Troupe which is opening at the Majestic Theatre to-day.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Captain H. F. Garnons-Williams has been promoted Major from August 1. Major Garnons-Williams is an officer of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, but is seconded from the regiment at present to act as G.S.O.3 at the War Office.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day was 1.48 inch. The total since January 1 has been 49.89 inches, against an average of 59.91 inches.

The offices of the French Consulate will be closed to the general public to-morrow, being the Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady.

Among the passengers who arrived in the Colony this morning by the R.M.S. Empress of Japan were Mr. D. M. Biggar, manager of the Chase Bank, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Warren.

Among the passengers who arrived by the s.s. President Grant from Manila this morning were Mr. Harold M. Bixby and the Hon. John C. Pool, of the United States Consulate-General in Hong Kong.

thoughts and fully appreciate my circumstances. I decided the best way to return to my cabin in the second class (inasmuch as I feared it was impossible for me to find my way through the labyrinthine passage-ways) was to proceed to the promenade deck, and thence down to my part of the ship. I turned around to climb the stairs, and there before me a large mirror showed me the maniac I looked. Cocked upon the side of my dishevelled head was the bearded bowler I had purchased in Saskatoon some time before, and, over my left arm, the walking stick I had considered indispensable in London. Though slipping as usual, I was bare to the waist, and my torso ran sweat.

Perhaps One Night

I felt like a burglar slinking back to my cabin, concealing as well as possible the hat and stick for fear of being seen. As luck would have it I met no one. I had wondered how it had been possible for me to get into the first class section of the ship, but when I reached the cabin I saw that the doors dividing second from first class had been opened, probably to afford better ventilation.

While in the act of climbing back into my bunk, there flashed before me the picture of another bunk I had attempted to crawl into that night—a bunk in which somebody was asleep, a stranger.

Though I have done many such minor things as get up in the middle of the night to make my bed, and in a nightmare begin to move the furniture, dreaming that the house was afire, two years have elapsed since my last real somnambulistic adventure. I hope they will not recur; but then, one can never tell. Perhaps one of these nights I shall wander into a neat little six-foot hole.

The s.s. Talma will leave for Singapore, Post Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and Calcutta at 10.30 a.m. next Sunday.

After having been aground for 10 hours, the Jardine s.s. Yat Shing arrived in harbour, from Canton, this morning. At 10 p.m. on Wednesday night the ship struck the Tsimsei Bar and was found to be firmly embedded in the soft mud. Unable to get off the bar immediately the ship had to wait for the next tide and was not refloated until 8 a.m. yesterday. The Yat Shing was not damaged.

The B. and S. steamer Yunnan, which left for Canton on Tuesday, remained in Canton yesterday on account of the typhoon and did not arrive here until this morning.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada is due here from Vancouver on the morning of September 11. She will leave that evening for Manila.

A Dinner Dance will be held on the Open Roof of Repulse Bay Lido—weather permitting—and at Repulse Bay Hotel in the event of bad weather, to-day at 9 p.m., and the usual Tea Dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel to-morrow at 5 p.m.

Owing to typhoon weather, over 35 missionaries from Cheung Chan Island were unable to make the trip to Hong Kong yesterday afternoon to be present at the annual tea-party given by the Council of the Helena May Institute. Among those present were Mr. A. W. Bartholomew, wife of His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, Mrs. H. G. Seth Smith, wife of Brigadier Seth Smith, many prominent members of the Helena May, and missionaries from Hainan, Paak Hok Tung, Canton and Phillip's House, Kowloon.

Among the passengers who arrived in the Colony this morning by the s.s. President Wilson were: Mr. C. H. Beyer, Transport Contractor of Melbourne, Australia en route home accompanied by Mrs. Beyer; Mr. Cheng Wen-joang, of Shanghai, stopping over on a trip to the Philippines; Mr. Chan Yan, of Hong Kong, returning from a business trip to Shanghai; Mr. Calvin J. Collins, of Chicago, with a party of six, making a tour of the Orient; and Mr. John A. Sowers, Professor of Berkeley, Calif., making a pleasure trip to Manila.

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Market steady.

HAMURO SETS NEW OLYMPIC RECORD

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Berlin: The Norwegian football team beat the Polish eleven, conquerors of Britain, by 3 goals to 2 and so gained the Bronze Medal for the Olympic Association football competition.

The final between Austria and Italy for the Gold and Silver Medals will be played to-morrow.

SOCCER INCIDENT

The incident which occurred during the Olympic football match between Austria and Peru, and the subsequent withdrawal of the latter country from the Olympic Games, was discussed exhaustively during a business session of the International Football Federation here yesterday, although the President of the supreme body of judges of international football emphasised at the commencement that their decision on the Austro-Peruvian conflict was final.

The representatives of Uruguay and Argentina stressed that, all South America was of the same opinion as Peru, that the decision of the Federation was unjustified. The Belgian delegate, after defending the finding of the Judges, suggested that Peru compete against the winner of the Olympic football Gold Medal after the conclusion of the Games in an unofficial match.

The President of the Federation suggested that Austria and Peru should settle the dispute in a friendly manner before the Federation sits again to-day.

S. AFRICAN BOXER WINS

The Olympic featherweight boxing contest saw the South African boxer, Cathall, of Johannesburg, defeat Kara, of America, on points last night. Cathall will now meet Miner, (Germany) to-day for the right to enter the semi-finals.

HUNGARIAN SUCCESS

Hungary won the Gold Medal in the Olympic Sabre Fencing event yesterday evening. The Silver and Bronze Medals went to Italy and Germany.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Earlier Results

DANISH GIRL SETS NEW SWIMMING MARK

Berlin: A new Olympic record of 5 mins. 28 secs. was established by Hveger (Denmark) in the first elimination heat of the 400 Metres freestyle event for women yesterday morning. The former record of 5 mins. 28.5-10 secs. was set up by Helen Madison, at the Los Angeles Games of 1932.

The result of the first heat was Miss Hveger (Denmark) 5 mins. 28 secs., Miss Lenore Knight Wingard (U.S.) 5 mins. 34 secs., Sen. Continho (Brazil) 5 mins. 35.5-10 secs.

The second heat went to Miss Wagner (Holland) and Frau Sothy (Hungary), as the other listed competitors did not start.

Miss Frederiksen (Denmark) won the third heat in 5 mins. 39.5-10 secs., followed by Miss Timmermanns (Holland) in 5 mins. 42.5-10 secs., and Mlle. Fleuret (France) 5 mins. 46.3-10 secs.

The fourth heat was won by Miss Karlisen (Denmark) in 5 mins. 57.1-10 secs., Miss Jeffery (Great Britain) coming second in 6 mins. 12.7 secs., and Miss Mary Lou Petty (U.S.) third in 6 mins. 16.6-10 secs.

Mastenbroek (Holland) achieved the best time in the fifth heat of 5 mins. 38.6-10 secs., Frau Schramkova (Czechoslovakia) coming second in 5 mins. 47.5-10 secs., and Miss Kojima (Japan) third in 5 mins. 50 secs.

The above named swimmers as well as Miss Morioko (Japan) who achieved the best time for the fourth place of 5 mins. 51 secs., will meet to-day in the semi-finals.

U.S. DIVING SUCCESS

The third Gold Medal in the diving went to the United States when Miss Dorothy Poynton-Hill won first place in the Women's High Diving competition yesterday morning at the Olympic Swimming Stadium.

Demonstrating a degree of perfection seldom attained, the Olympic victor of Los Angeles, repeated

her triumph. Miss Dunn (U.S.) came second, Frau Koehler (Germany) third, Miss Osawa (Japan) fourth, Miss Gilissen (U.S.A.) fifth and Miss Kono (Japan) sixth.

PERU TO REMAIN

The Peruvian Olympic team decided not to leave Germany because of the decision of the International Football Federation, but to stay and compete with Germany in the athletic event. This decision was taken in order that the eventual departure should under no circumstances be interpreted as an affront against Germany.

DRESSAGE RIDING TEST

Germany won an outstanding victory in the dressage riding test which was completed yesterday morning at the equestrian stadium before a huge crowd, gaining not only individual honours, but a team victory as well.

Lieut. Pollay, on Kronos, won the Gold Medal, Major Gerhardt (Germany) won the Silver Medal, on Absynth, Major Podhajsky (Austria), on Nero, won the Bronze Medal, Lieut. von Adlercreutz (Sweden) and Captain Jausseume (France) gaining fourth and fifth places. Germany also won the team victory, followed by France and Sweden.

SAILING INCIDENT

Kiel: An announcement has been made by the sub-committee for sailing to the organising committee of the Olympic Games to the effect that the points awarded to the Swiss boat in the six-Metre Class cannot be admitted as the steersman did not fulfil the definition of an amateur for the Olympic Games.

It is added that the explanation of this incident is that the leader of the Swiss team could not have been sufficiently acquainted with the very precise conditions to be fulfilled in order to be accepted as an amateur in the Olympic Games.

CLOSING CEREMONY

Kiel: The Olympic fire, which had burned here for nine days, was extinguished and the Olympic flag lowered on Wednesday in the course of an impressive ceremony at the close of the Olympic yachting competitions, which was attended by all Naval and Civil authorities.

The torch bearer, belonging to the German Navy, carried the flag over the bridge and returned it to the President of the German Yachting and Sailing Association, Colonel Kewisch, who received it with the words: "I take this flag into my safekeeping, until in four years' time we shall hand it over to Japan for the Olympic Games."

ROWING REGATTA

Gruenau: The Olympic rowing regatta continued yesterday with the semifinals of coxswain-fours. Denmark won the first heat in 8 mins. 9.1-10 secs., followed by Japan, Czechoslovakia and Sweden.

The second heat was won by Hungary in 8.04.8-10 secs., followed by Poland, Italy and Yugoslavia. France were victorious in a close race in the third heat, followed by the United States second, followed by Uruguay and Belgium.

The winning nations will compete to-day with yesterday's winners, Holland, Germany and Switzerland, in the final race.—Trans-Ocean Service.

Another Swimming Title For Holland

Berlin: Holland captured another Olympic swimming title yesterday in the women's section, when Miss Seuff won the 100 Metres back-stroke final in 78 9-10 secs., Miss Mastenbroek (Holland) coming second in 79 2-10 secs., and Miss Bridges (U.S.) third in 79 4-10 secs.

MISS YEUNG STANDS DOWN Miss Yeung Sar-king, China's "mermaid," did not compete in the preliminary heats of the Women's 400 Metres free-style.—Reuter.

Owens To Turn Professional

Berlin, August 10.—Jesse Owens, the United States' phenomenal Negro athlete who was the sensation of the 1936 World Olympic track and field competition, announced to-day that he will turn professional.

Owens won three individual first places and was instrumental in winning the 400 Metres Relay for the United States in world record-breaking time. He broke the Olympic record for the 100 Metres, but the time will not be given official recognition as such because a favouring wind helped



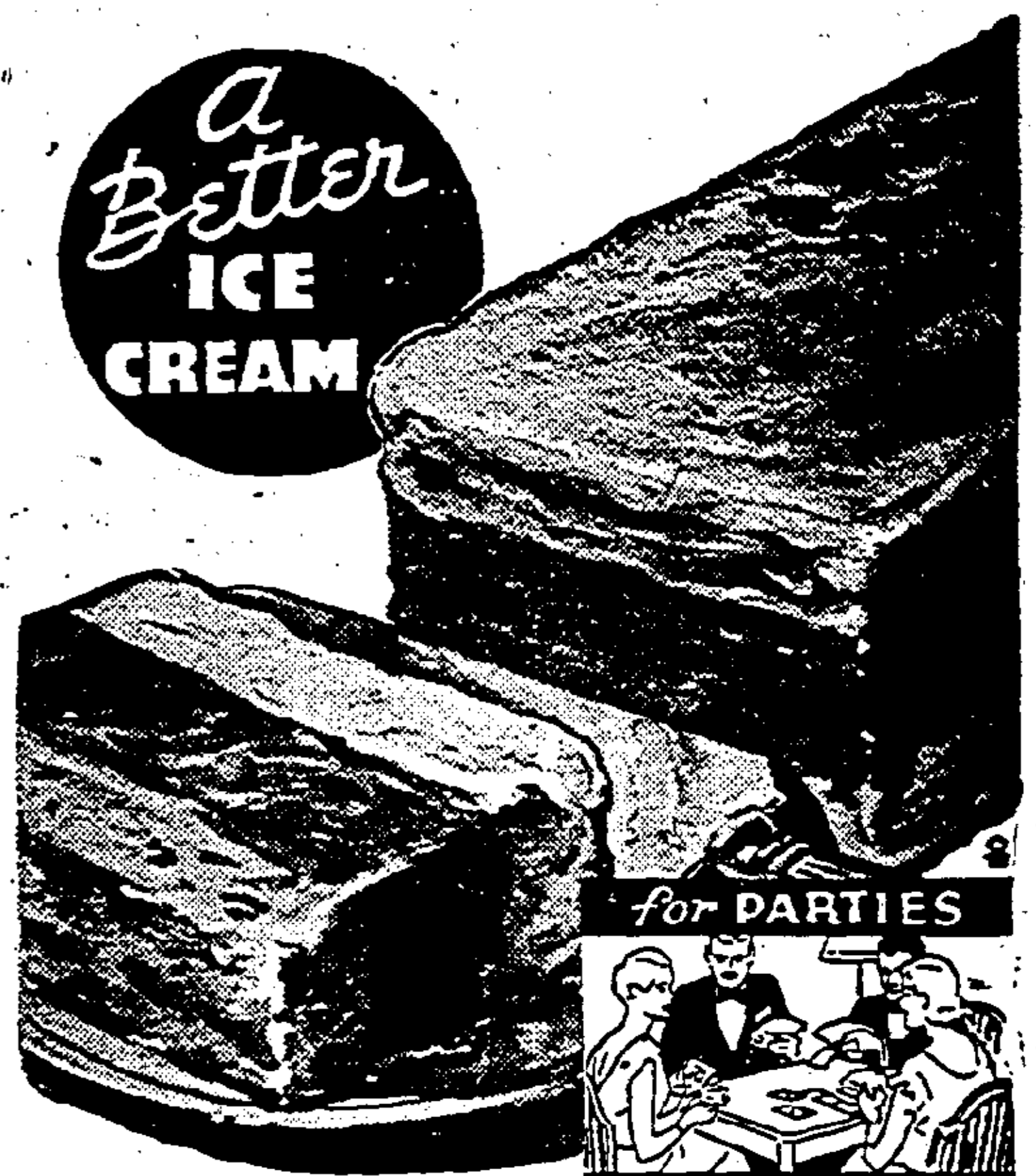
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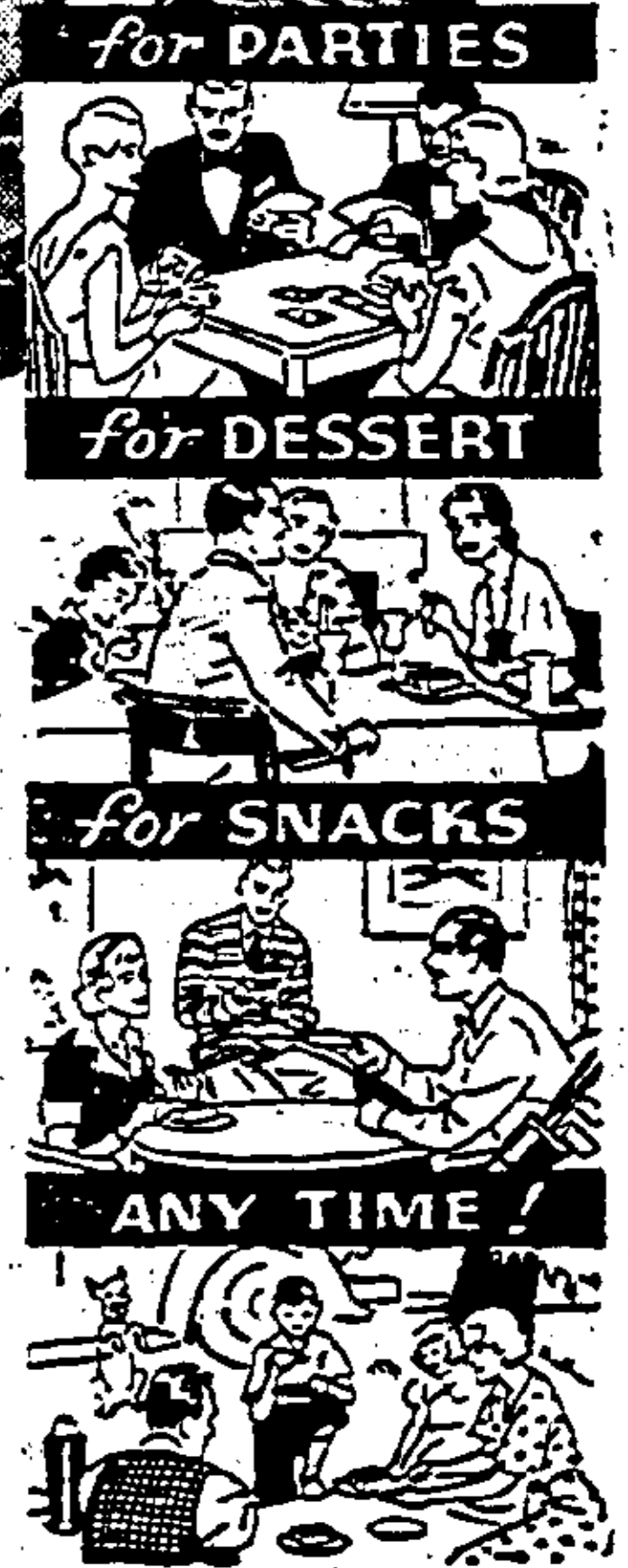
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The second round of the triangular contract bridge tournament was played at Club de Recreio on Wednesday night when the Kowloon Cricket Club and the American Club were the guests.

A good lead was attained by the home team before dinner, and it was successfully maintained to the end. The results of the match were as follow:

Club de Recreio 6,140 points
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Kowloon Cricket Club 2,480 points

The substantial win by the Club de Recreio placed them in a very strong position for the honour of being the first to have their name inscribed on the trophy kindly presented by Mr. E. Abraham. The standings of the teams for the two rounds played are:

Club de Recreio 5,570 points
Kowloon Cricket Club 4,420 points
American Club 1,150 points

NO DECISION YET

Mr. Harold Bixby, of the Pan-American Airways, who arrived in the Colony this morning on the s.s. President Wilson, said that no decision had been made yet as to when the extension of the Pan-American Airways would be made to South China, or whether the planes would land in Hong Kong or Macau.

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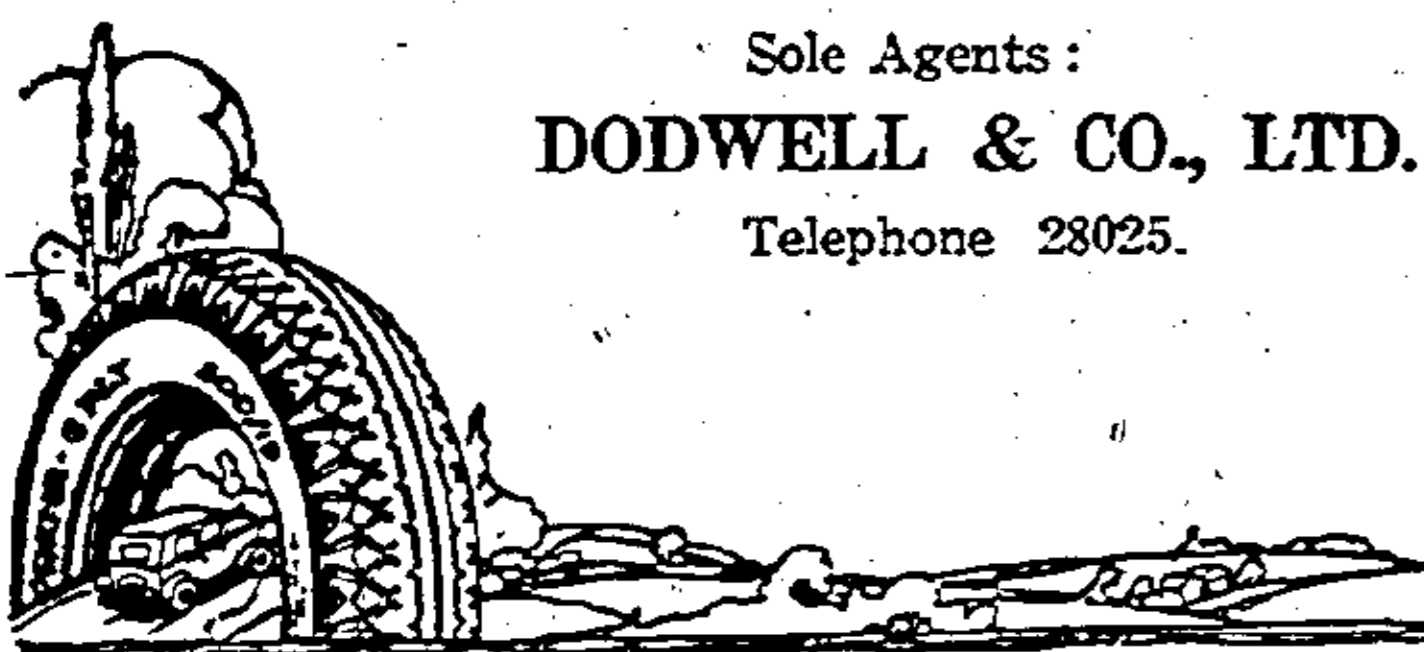
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"The Melody Lingers On" At King's
New Opera-Star Find
For The ScreenWendy Barrie Due In Fast
Moving Comedy

(By ESTHER)

SCANNING the overseas papers, I see that there are some exciting things in store for the movie-goer. Of course the studios always release their pictures with a big bang—the publicity departments can think only in superlatives. So it often happens, of course, that a picture, really quite good entertainment, flops on account of the exaggerated publicity. But there can be no doubt that pictures like "Things to Come" and "Green Pastures" will more than justify the expectations. The fare offered this week by the local theatres seems to be more of the light summer type, but still it promises some good entertainment.

"The Melody Lingers On" now showing at the King's Theatre, based on a best-seller, stars the lovely Josephine Hutchinson and George Houston, Hollywood's new opera star find. The producers who gave us "The Count of Monte Cristo" last season offer film fans a real discovery in another good picture.

The story follows the war-swept romance of Ann Prescott, a young American girl studying music abroad during the War, and Salvini, a famous opera singer and soldier. Ann has a child, Gindo, whom she is forced to place in a convent. The War takes Salvini's life. Ann becomes a famous musician but finds applause but poor consolation for the loss of her lover and the child she dare not claim. But empty years are swept away on the great night when she sees her son re-living his father's triumph at the famous La Scala Opera House.

Josephine Hutchinson has never been better and George Houston brings to film good looks, acting ability, and a magnificent baritone voice which is heard in songs from "Carmen" and "Return of Sorrento," famous Italian folk song. It all provides a colourful and thrilling evening in the theatre.

"Early To Bed"

The Queen's Theatre offers "Early To Bed," starring the popular couple Charles Ruggles and Mary Boland. A "Laugh-masterpiece," as one reviewer describes it, it is really one of their brightest farces. The gags are entirely new and all skilfully put together. Ruggles is a mouse-like clerk in a glass-eye firm, employed for 26 years but told he has a bright future. Mary is the Gibson Girl to whom he has been engaged for precisely 20 of those years. Charlie, seeking to land a huge glass-eye order, spends his honeymoon in a sanatorium and turns out to be a sleep-walker. And then begins a completely cockeyed combination of mystery and hilarity. The supporting cast is excellent and aid in putting over the laughs. Go early!

"Devil's Squadron"

"Devil's Squadron" at the Alhambra holds enough thrills for the audience to take a second helping. Richard Dix gives a strong performance in a picture that claims to top the aviation thrillers, while Karen Morley does good work in the feminine lead. There is romance, of course, but most of all you'll enjoy air scenes, the testing of new planes for airworthiness, and then all there is to see of courage and cowardice in one of the world's most hazardous professions.

Wendy Barrie Again

On Sunday you'll be seeing "Hong Kong's Own Star" Wendy Barrie, in the mile-a-minute of fun and thrills—"Speed," at the King's Theatre. James Stewart and Wendy Barrie form an attractive team, ably supported as they are by Una Merkel—who, incidentally, goes serious—Weldon Heyburn, Ted Healy and others. The picture is happily titled. It reflects the pace of the mechanical age and at the same time humanises the scene in any typical American industrial plant. It is a story of automobile manufacturing and of dare-devil tests on dangerous curves, with a colourful love affair in progress.

Gay, Romantic Comedy

At the same time Dolores Del Rio will be playing in "The Widow



A scene from "Speed," which will be shown at the King's Theatre on Sunday. In this picture are seen Ted Healy and Patricia Wilder.

From Monte Carlo" at the Queen's—a gay, romantic comedy. Besides its laughter and love affairs, this picture carries plenty of action, though even this is more or less shot with humour. The characters involve a playboy major, a windowed Duchess, somewhat flirtatiously inclined, her very proper English relatives and her even more proper fiancé, a very rich and persistent widow who is trying to crash society, and an American crook who is a fugitive from justice.

These are mixed up in a series of thrilling, though amusing, adventures, which lead to a rather amazing climax. Warren William makes a delightful major, who sweeps the Duchess off her feet in an informal flirtation at the Casino at Monte Carlo to which Her Grace had gone incognito for a night of adventures.

Dolores Del Rio, as the Duchess, is as beautiful and charming as ever and gives the part a piquant flavour which makes it entirely delightful. And then there is the incomparable Fazenda who does an excellent job as the woman seeking to crash society. She plays the part with all the comedy side-lines for which she is famous. And there are others too. Altogether it's good, sparkling entertainment—just the sort to help you forget the climate.

"Florida Special"

For comedy, melodrama and romance, visit the Alhambra and see "Florida Special," with Jack Oakie and Sally Eilers in the leading roles. Oakie plays the devil-may-care newspaper reporter who accidentally runs into a sensational story that proves the scoop of the year for his newspaper.

On board the Florida flyer are an eccentric millionaire, his crooked secretary, and his niece. Chained to the secretary is a box of uncut diamonds worth a vast fortune which the wealthy man is taking South with him. Rival gangs of crooks learn of the splendid haul possible on the train; they board it—and the excitement has begun! Yes, fast moving action if you like it so, coupled with romance, amusement and intrigue. The usual dish, but with a little fresh garnish.

Oriental Theatre

The Oriental Theatre offers on Sunday and Monday "Petticoat Fever," featuring Robert Montgomery and Myrna Loy. Others in the cast are Reginald Owen, Forrester Harvey, Otto and Iris Yamaoka.

"Exclusive Story" will be screened on Tuesday and Wednesday. Franchot Tone and Madge Evans do some good acting in this exciting picture.

By special request, "Broadway



Karen Morley, Gene Morgan and Richard Dix, three of the players in "Devil's Squadron," now showing at the Alhambra Theatre.



"The Melody Lingers On" is the title of the picture showing at the King's Theatre to-day. Two members of the cast, George Houston and Josephine Hutchinson, are seen above.

Melody of 1936" will be shown for one day only. The picture contains enchanting music and spectacular dancing with a background of unusual splendour.

The thriller "Let 'Em Have It" will be screened on Friday and Saturday. The cast includes Richard Arlen, Virginia Bruce, Alice Brady and Bruce Cabot.

Star Programme

That inimitable duo, Tom Walls and Ralph Lynn, will be seen at the Star Theatre to-day and to-morrow in the Gaumont-British picture "Fighting Stock."

On Sunday and Monday "Colleen," with Dick Powell and Ruby Keeler, will provide good fare.

On Tuesday Shirley Temple, in "Little Colonel," will delight her many fans.

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By

Leroy March

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The new Astaire-Rogers dancinema required 21 tons of artificial snow for winter scenes. Most of it was un-toasted cornflakes and ground marble composition.

Another, and quite different scene, called for 20 gallons of soap suds to wash Ginger Rogers' red-gold tresses. The scene showing Ginger washing her hair had to be taken 12 times before it was right—and she had to change her make-up each time!

Maybe we've been misjudging George Raft. We have just found out that Paramount's patent-leather haired aspirant for the niche vacated by the great Valentino never sees himself on the screen. Not only does he refuse to go to a theatre to see his pictures, but he won't even witness a studio showing.

Southern California weather may be praiseworthy to most people, but to Moroni Olsen, character actor, it's just plain spiteful. On the day when Olsen had to get all wrapped up to play an Egyptian mummy, the sun shone hotter than it has for years.

All those who have missed "Anna Karenina" will now have their last chance to enjoy that really fine picture with Greta Garbo in the title role. It is coming to the Star next Wednesday.

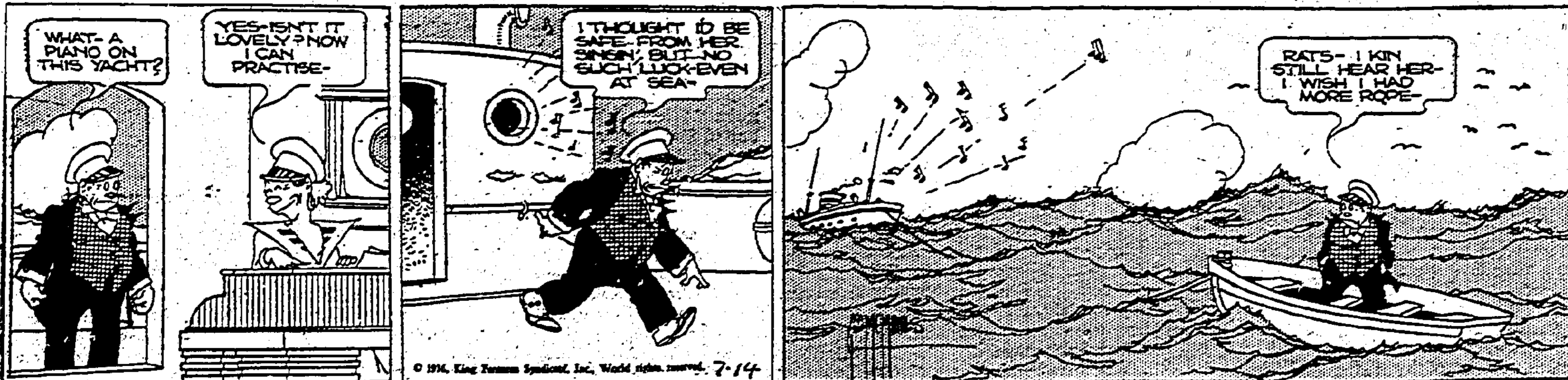


"The Melody Lingers On," with Helen Westley, George Houston and Josephine Hutchinson, is excellent entertainment, and is having its first showings to-day at the King's Theatre.



Josephine Hutchinson, John Halliday and Mona Barrie are in "The Melody Lingers On," a Reliance picture which is having its initial showings at the King's Theatre to-day.

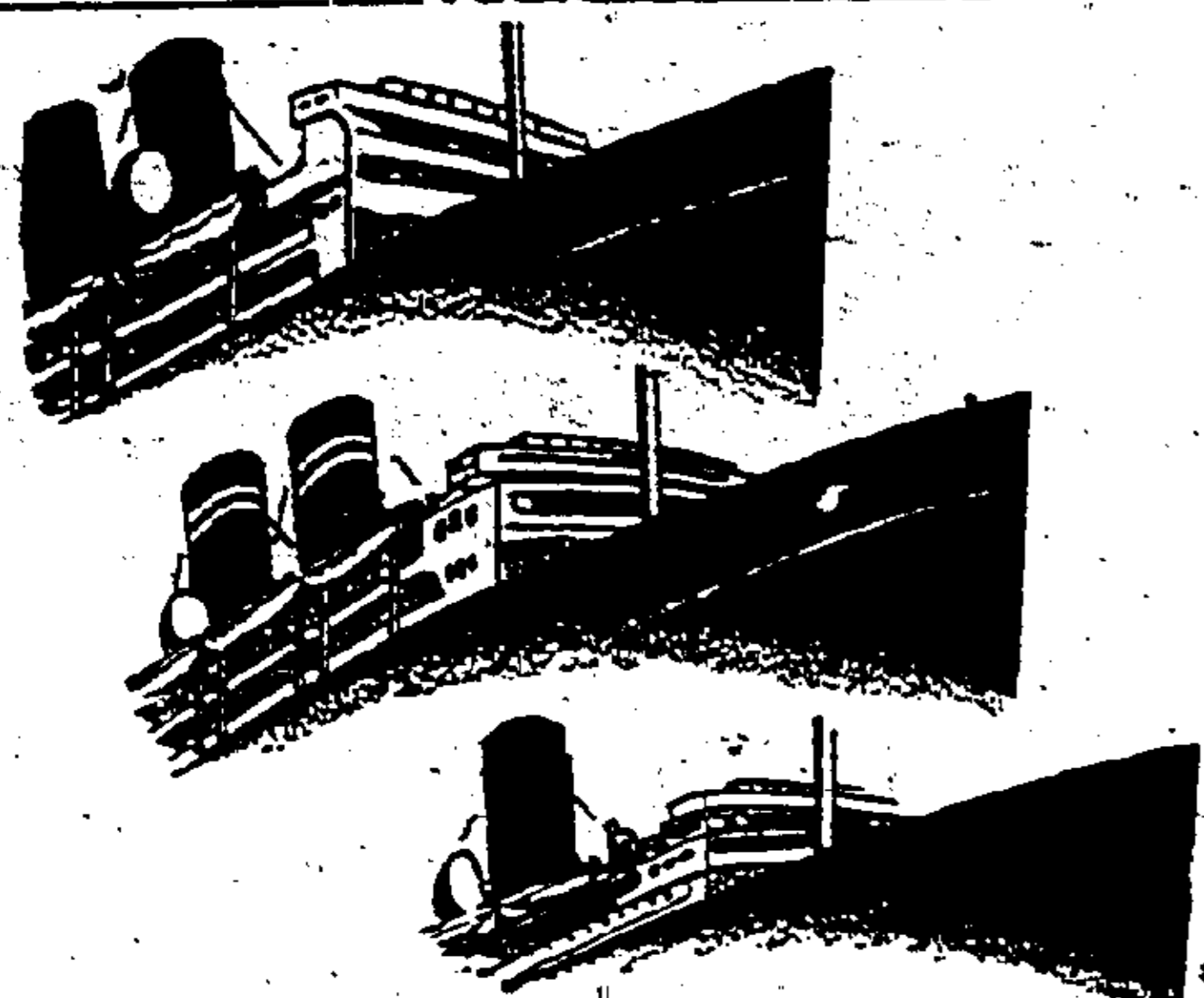
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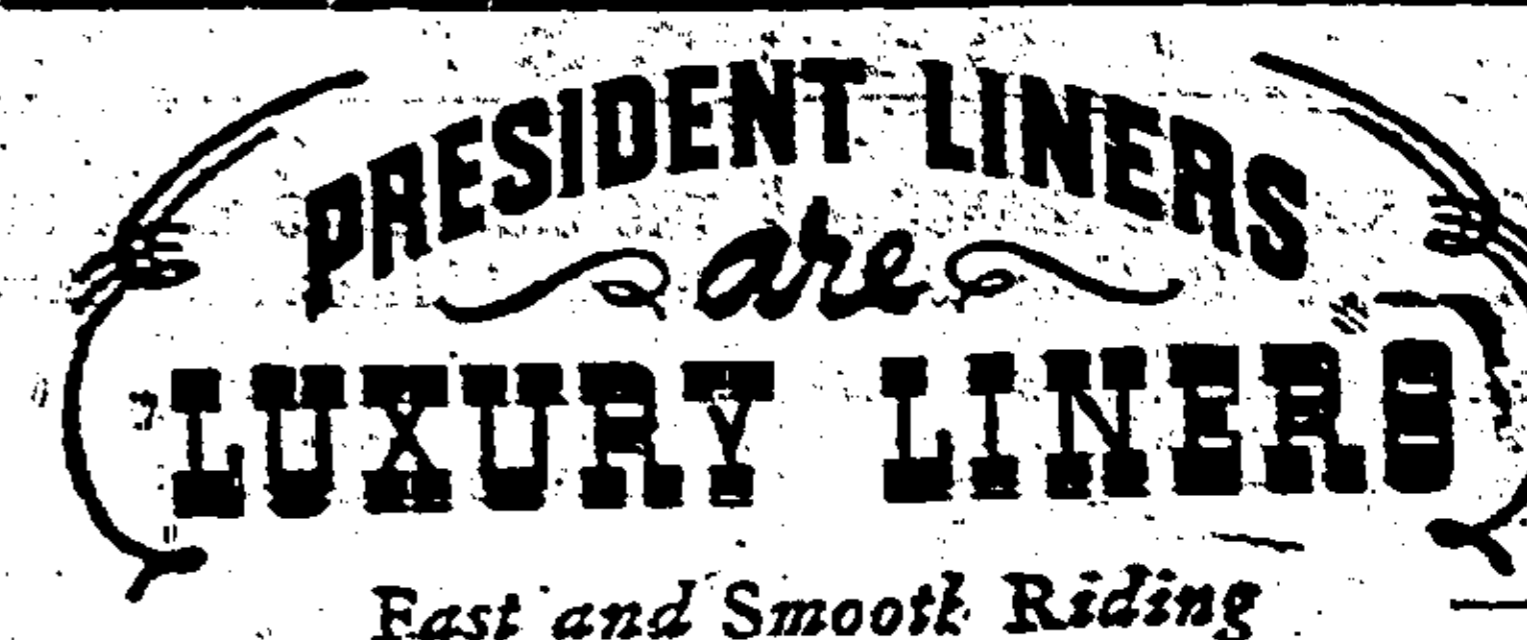
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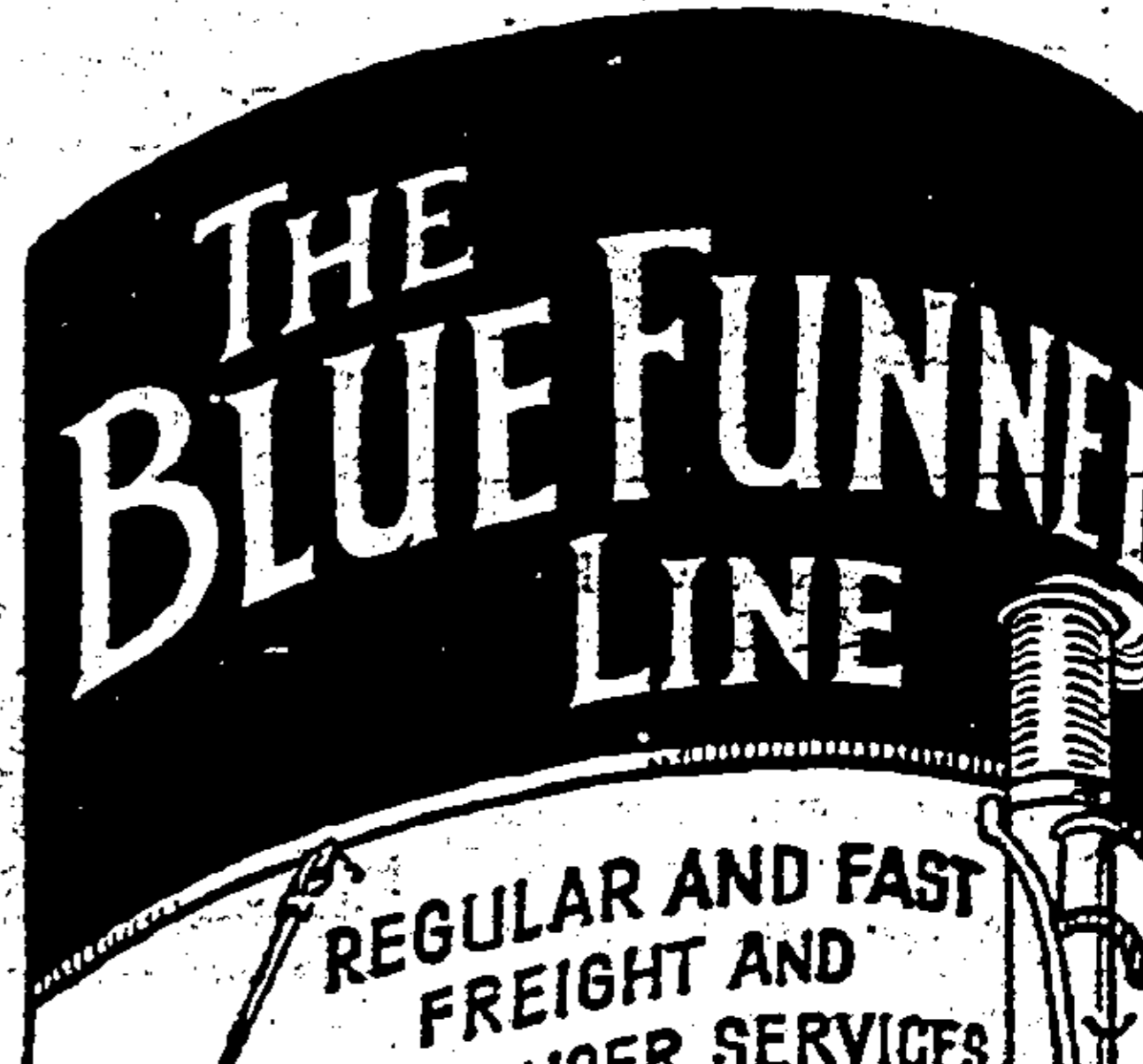
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RUNNERS-UP RACE
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(Continued from Page 2)

Hyde-Lay was opposed to a member of his Interport team and was able to get an idea of Dick Alves' capabilities. Though the latter won by 10 shots, I think he will admit that he (not to mention, A. A. Remedios, his No. 3) had most of the joss, of which there was not a little!

L. Xavier played a very fine game as lead to Alves, and was seldom far away from the jack, to the discomfort of George Lee, who was not rolling a bad wood himself.

Teddy Fincher achieved a good performance in securing the better of C. G. Silva, who is not having as successful a season as he had last year, which culminated in his securing Interport honours.

Gittins, as steady as ever, had a good duel with the Open Singles finalist, Gutierrez, and there was little in it between them, which is praise for the home lead.

The Kowloon Bowling Green Club went down to Craigengower "B", who had not a strong team out! Holland and Field, were neck-and-neck all the way until the 18th head, which found them 15-all. Then the home skip got away with six in the last three heads.

Fine Recovery

Bill Way managed to get home by 9 shots against, L. Guy, who made a brilliant recovery after being down by 21 shots to 4, the latter being Guy's only score up to the 11th end. But he scored two more fours subsequently, to come up to 24—19 at the 20th head, only to concede another four shots in the final roll-up.

Leonard laid the foundation for the victory by a brilliant display as No. 1 for Way.

Bob Duncan secured the only away win and that by six shots against H. V. Pearce. It was a No. 3's game here, both Andy Omar and Sam Randle pulling out brilliant shots most of the time.

The senior champions won on all rinks against Takoo, but they had to fight hard for their shots, especially Omar, who was pitted against Drummond. The aggregate score for this rink was only 26 shots, which must be very nearly a record, as was the total number of shots scored, only 96 against an average of about 116.

Interesting Figures

It is interesting to record that Omar's quartette scored eleven singles and a three, whilst the opposition had seven ones, a two and a three—a total of eighteen singles in the 21 heads.

Rosset started off with a six against Bob Wallace (a most unusual thing as "Hector" would say!) and he eventually reached home by eight shots, while Luz was getting the better of Chalmers by six.

The Police beat the Indians at Sookunpoo, as I anticipated, being up on two rinks "BIII" Hollands was much too good for Dallah, who had his regular team out and yet scored only eight to the visitors' 28. Hollands received splendid support from C. Dowman. He was, however, on form himself, especially with the few heavy ones which he had to send down.

Mair was badly down to Adal early on, but staged a good recovery, ably assisted by Dall, his new No. 3, to get home by 10 shots.

Adal scored on only six heads, but had two good fives amongst them. Minu, one down to Stewart Logan at the 12th end, had an inspired spell, during which he scored a six, a three and a four in succession to change completely the aspect of the game, which resulted in a 10-shot-win for him.

Grimmity Skip Again

In the Kowloon Dock and Civil Service match at the Valley, there was only one team in it and that



A scene from "The Melody Lingers On," the current attraction at the King's Theatre. The picture above shows George Houston with Josephine Hutchinson.

RADIO
TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (345 K.C.'s).

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-11 p.m.—European Programme.
7 p.m.—A Concert.

Pianoforte Solo—
L'Amour Sorcier (de Falla)
Ricardo Vines.

Songs—
Oriental Prayer ("Lakme")
(Delibes)
Bell Song ("Lakme") (Delibes)

Violin Solos—
Abendlied (Schumann)
Tarentella (Sarasate)
Manuel Quiroga.

Songs—
Goodbye (Stolz)
The Song is Done (Stolz)
Richard Tauber (Tenor)

7-30 p.m.—A Relay from Daventry
The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed
by Henry Hall.

7-45 p.m.—From the Studio.
Talk on Cricket: "The Third Test"
by R. Abbit.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and announcements.

8-05 p.m.—Scenes from "To-night at 8.30" (Noel Coward) by Gertrude Lawrence and Noel Coward.

8-30 p.m.—"From Foreign Lands" (Moszkowski)

8-43 p.m.—"Suite Bergamasque" (Debussy) played by Walter Gieseking (Pianoforte)

9 p.m.—News and Announcements from London.

9-20 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Recital by Helen Lockhart (Contralto) accompanied by E. O'Neil Shaw.

Programme
1. Caro Mio Ben—Giordani.
2. (a) Go from my window go
(b) Gathering of the clouds

Old English Melodies arr. Somervell.
3. Lascia chio piana—Handel.
(Rinaldo)

4. Lament of Isis—Bantock.
9-45 p.m.—Marek Weber and his Orchestra.

Tales of Hoffman—Sal Pospisil (Offenbach)

La Belle Helene—Selection (Offenbach)

10 p.m.—Big Ben from London (striking 3 p.m. B.S.T.).

10 p.m.—From the Studio.
Interpretations at the Piano by Helen O'Brien.

Programme
1. Smiles.
2. Danny Boy.
3. Life is a Song.

4. Night and Day.
10-15 p.m.—Modern Waltzes.
A Beautiful Lady in Blue
The Bridal Waltz.

I Live for Love
Friends.
10-30 p.m.—Dance Music.
11 p.m.—Close Down.

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SOCIETYInvitation Extended To
Members

At a meeting of the Hong Kong Aquarium Society at the University on Wednesday evening, Mr. B. E. Sugars gave a talk on the fishes recently imported from Singapore, and members were able to obtain thereby the necessary information as to how the different kinds should be kept in home aquaria.

It is intended that those with fairly representative collections of fishes should invite other members to view their tanks from time to time, and the initiative is being taken by the Hon. Secretary, who will be pleased to see any member at his residence, No. 3, Alberose, Pokfulam, next Sunday, August 16, at 3 p.m.

BRIDGE NOTES

Not Luck But
Judgment

By Ely Culbertson

Bridge tragedies more often are due to human frailty than to the malignant interference of fate. This statement must not be interpreted to mean that there is no such thing as a "bad break." Every player of long experience has suffered from having the cards seemingly stacked against him at some time or other. But it is unfair and unintelligent to count as "a break" anything that could have been avoided by either care or sagacity.

I am quite sure that the hapless declarer in to-day's hand felt he was a victim of the evil eye when the opponents chalked up a 1,700 point penalty against him. Personally, I feel much greater sympathy for his partner.

North, dealer.

Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
S. K 3
H. 5
D. A 9 6 4
C. A J 10 7 3 2
WEST
S. J 8
H. 10 8 6 4 3 2
D. K 7 5 3
C. 9
EAST
S. A Q 10 9 7 6
H. 5 4 2
D. 10 8
C. K 4

SOUTH
S. None
H. A K Q J 9 7
D. Q J 2
C. Q 8 6 5

The bidding:
North East South West
1C. 4S. 5H. Dbie

(final bid)
This hand was reported to me by Thomas H. Peeples of Boston, who was the East player. Probably out of charity and sportsmanship to his stricken adversaries, Mr. Peeples failed to comment on South's bidding. Not knowing who South was, I am not so restrained.

Whatever slight excuse there may have been for the five heart bid instead of five clubs cannot hold in view of the subsequent pass to the penalty double. Under ordinary circumstances a suit as strong as South's may be considered solid, but the circumstances were not ordinary! East's four spade bid was a loud warning or, rather, it should have been! West's double was the second and louder warning. When declarer closed his ears he actually invited disaster.

Bad as South's bidding had been, his play proved worse. He ruffed the opening spade lead and played his four top trumps. Then he took the club finesse. East won and did not make the error of leading the ace of spades, which would have irretrievably cut off communications between his hand and partner's, and would have reduced the penalty to one trick. Observing his partner's nine of clubs on the first lead of that suit, he returned a club. West ruffed and drew declarer's remaining trump. A second spade lead put East in for the cashing of his enormous suit. Result, down six doubled, vulnerable, 1,700 points!

Six clubs could not have been defeated, since East would have had to make the opening lead. But even at the five heart contract, proper play would have saved at least four tricks. Declarer could not afford to lead out trumps until the club suit was safely established. With the clubs established, the top hearts could have been drawn, and West's long trumps conceded for a set of two tricks. If South guessed the location of the diamond king, he could actually have made his contract, but that would have required double dummy play.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

MALE APES
PASSION SHORTS
RASPS ATONING
ASS SCATTER POE
STAB MILES MURK
SHLAIN NOO TIGES
LADEN B SCATS
ROVES CARS SECT
USCO CLABS EARL
GIN COARS MEN SCA
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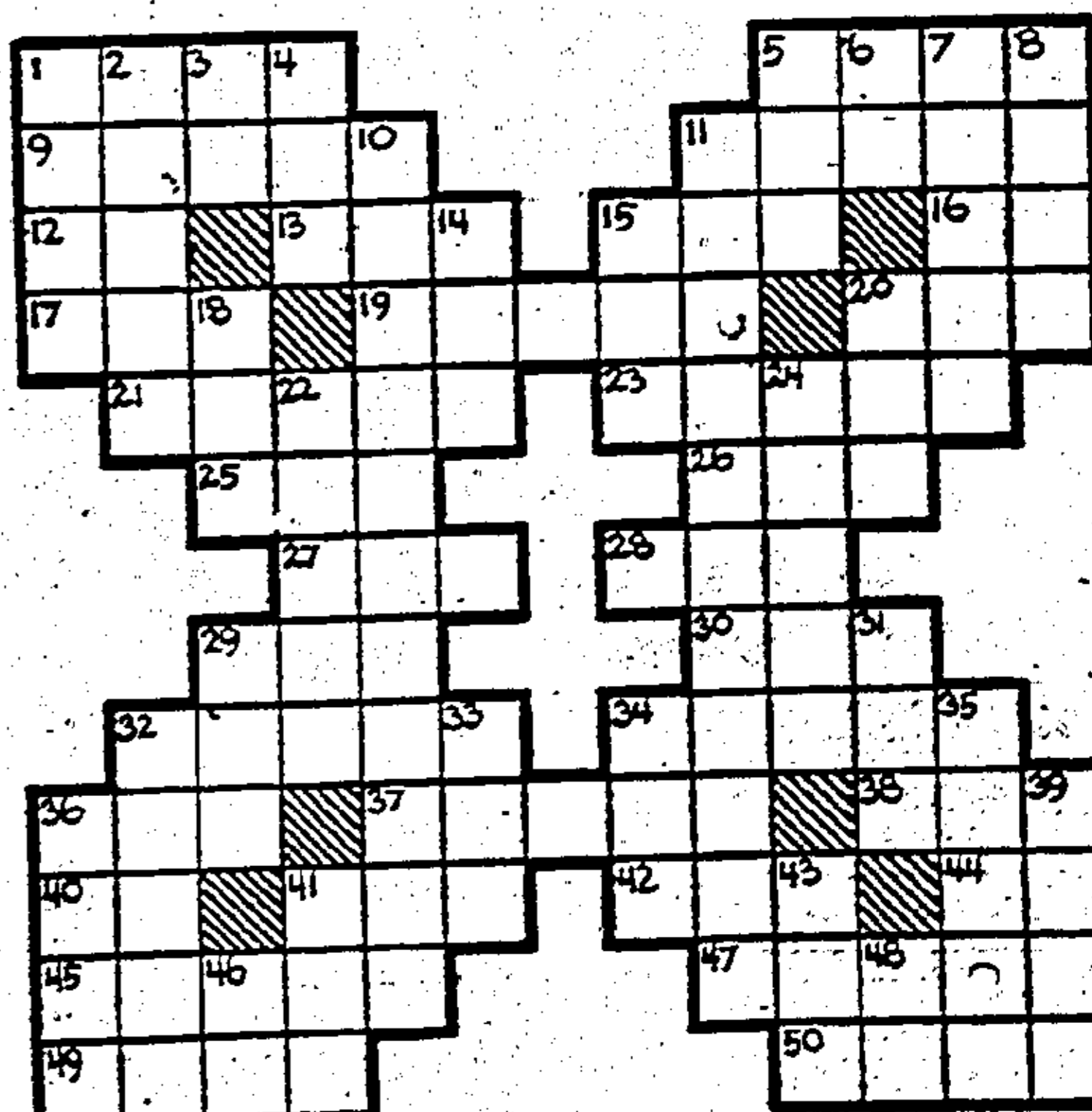
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL
1-Hill of loose sand
5-Part of a bird
9-Make into a law
11-Cut
12-And (Lat.)
13-Care hides
15-Place
16-A compass point (abbr.)
17-Noise
19-Pertaining to a hole
20-Pig-pen
21-Fabric woven from flax
22-Large plants
23-Parity
24-Consumed
27-Writing field
28-Answer (abbr.)
29-Girl's name
30-Lair
32-Construct
34-Type of auto
HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
35-Tavern
37-Tardier
38-By
40-Near by
41-Combining form.
42-Marry
44-Six
45-Micro-organisms
47-Valleys
49-Orator (abbr.)
50-Greater in amount
VERTICAL
1-Act
2-Unto the time of
3-A continent (abbr.)
4-Combining form.
Without
5-Full of moisture
6-Four
7-Bird bones
8-A color
10-Jewish temples
11-Yielded
14-Prefix. Not
15-Small lump of butter
18-Pinch
20-Series
24-Relieved
28-Eagle
31-Doze
32-Penetrates
33-Sailor
34-Line needle and thread
35-Not at any time
36-The perfidious friend
37-of Othello
38-Amused
41-Ancient (abbr.)
43-Restrain
46-Egyptian god
48-Behold

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

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TWO CHANGES IN TEST TEAM
Indian Eleven For Final Match

London, To-day.
The following will represent India at the Oval in the third and final Test Match starting on Saturday:

The Maharaj Kumar of Vizianagaram, C. K. Naidu, Wazir Ali, V. M. Merchant, C. Ramaswami, Dilawar Hussain, Jehangir Khan, Mustaq Ali, Baso Jilani, M. Nissar Amar Singh.—Reuter.

England won the first Test (Lord's) by 9 wickets while the second Test (Manchester) was left drawn.

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The Secretary of the United States Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, is here shown at Washington as he delivered his report last month on the condition of the nation's finances. He painted an optimistic picture of the fiscal situation despite a further Federal deficit of more than four billion dollars.

RECEPTION IN BERLIN

Many Foreign Guests Attend

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL
Berlin, To-day.
The many well-known foreign guests in Berlin were honoured by a reception by Chancellor Hitler on Wednesday. The guests included Sir Robert and Lady Yandart, the British Ambassador, Sir Eric Phipps, Lord and Lady Rennell, Lord and Lady Aberdare, Lord Barnby, Lord Clydesdale, Countess Calvi de Bergolo, Count and Countess Baillet-Latour, the former Ambassador, M. Shurmman, the Polish Secretary of State, M. Szembach, and Countess Szembach, the Polish Ambassador, M. Lipski, the Hungarian Finance Minister, Herr von Fabinyi, General von Horthy of the Hungarian Cavalry, and the Hungarian Ambassador, Dr. Szogy.

The German Cabinet as well as other guests of honour were also present.—Trans-Ocean Service.

ANOTHER FUNCTION
The German-French Society gave a reception yesterday in honour of the Olympic guests and the members of the "Comite France-Allemagne."

Among those attending were the French Ambassador, M. Francois-Poncet, and other members of the Embassy staff, Count and Countess de Castellane and the Marquis de Polignac.

The President of the Society, in his address of welcome, expressed the hope that the Olympic year might mark the beginning of a permanent peace between France and Germany, while the well-known French writer, Fernand de Brion, paid a tribute to the work accomplished by the Society towards this end.—Trans-Ocean Service.

AIR RACE TO SOUTH AFRICA

MR. C. W. A. SCOTT TO COMPETE

London, To-day.
The latest entries for the England-Johannesburg air race at the end of next month include Mr. C. W. A. Scott, winner of the England-Australia air race. He will fly a Percival Vega Gull. The closing date for entries is still nearly three weeks off, but the competitors to date number 13.

At least one entirely new type of commercial aeroplane will make its first appearance in the race, which is for prizes aggregating £10,000 put up by the South African industrialist, Mr. J. W. Schlessinger. Only British pilots and British aircraft may compete. The race is scheduled to start on the night of September 29. No time allowance will be made for refuelling or other ground work.—British Wireless Service.

HEROIN PILLS AGAIN

Little Girl Used By Unemployed Man

Before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning, Chen Kwong, an unemployed Chinese male, was sentenced to one week's imprisonment and fined \$1,000, in default nine months' imprisonment, on a charge of trafficking in the possession of 1,000 heroin pills.

The defendant was seen walking near the Sun Company holding a little Chinese girl by the hand. The circumstances looked unusually suspicious and Revenue Officer Ward had both detained, a search of the girl revealing the 1,000 pills strapped round her waist in a belt.

MADRID ENCIRCLED BY GEN. MOLA'S TROOPS

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Paris: The broadcasting station in Madrid has sent out an appeal to "all republican countries in Europe" not to remain neutral, but to come to the assistance of the "legitimate Spanish Government."—Trans-Ocean Service.

MADRID SITUATION SERIOUS
Paris: The situation in Madrid is extremely serious, according to messages received here yesterday.

It is stated that "Revolutionary Tribunals" have been formed in the Spanish capital, where sanguinary shooting affrays in the streets and mass executions of Right-wing sympathisers by Left-wing extremists are now matters of daily occurrence. According to reports the Government is so powerless that a grave crisis is imminent.

Another message from Madrid asserts that representatives of M. Trotski have arrived in Spain, in order to discuss "further procedure" with the Government.

PAOLINO KILLED?
Lisbon: A former contender for the world heavy-weight boxing championship, Paolino Uzcudum, the "Basque Wood-chopper," was among those who lost their lives in the fighting outside San Sebastian, according to an as yet unconfirmed message from Spain.—Trans-Ocean Service.

FOUR FOR REBELS AT SEVILLE

(Continued from Page 1)

The first aeroplane was leaving Seville yesterday and was due back there last night. Among the 200 there are known to be 11 British subjects who wish to be evacuated. It is not known if there are any other British who have decided to remain.—British Wireless Service.

Local Traffic Accidents

In the Colony of Hong Kong, pedestrians who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.
Two bus passengers were injured while alighting from moving motor buses.
Two drivers and 2 vehicle passengers were injured as the result of collisions between vehicles.
Of the 47 accidents, 16 were collisions between vehicles; 25 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; and 6 accidents were due to other causes.

The person killed, a bus driver, died as the result of injuries received while alighting from a moving motor bus.
Of the persons injured, 19 were

TEST CASE AT MAGISTRACY

ALLEGED INTENT TO DEFRAUD

OFFENCE AGAINST POSTAL REGULATIONS

An interesting test case was heard before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning when three Chinese boarding-house licences appeared on separate charges of sending postal matter in registered packages containing enclosures bearing addresses different to those on the covering packages, with alleged intent to defraud the postal authorities.

Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared on behalf of the prosecution, while Mr. D. McCallum was for the three defendants.

In outlining the facts concerning the charges, Mr. Abbott said that on July 27 Mr. H. R. Butters, Postmaster-General, received a registered package from the Comptroller of Post and Telegraphs, Straits Settlements, Singapore, and contained in it were three other packages and one unregistered package.

Mr. Butters opened the envelopes and found altogether 195 letters addressed to different people. The total postage paid on the four envelopes was \$2.80 and it was a simple matter of arithmetic to see of how much the Government had been defrauded under Regulation No. 14 of Government Notification No. 118 of February 26, 1932. The loss of revenue on these letters was considerable.

Family Matters
Mr. Butters took altogether 20 letters from the four packages and had these translated by a Mr. Fung attached to the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs. The letters were found to deal with family matters.

Counsel said that it could be stated by the defence that had they wanted to send these envelopes they would not have done so by registered post, but the fact that they had, resulted in their minimising the cost of postage. Counsel submitted that this was a very serious matter and if allowed to continue would mean a serious loss of revenue to the Government.

Mr. Abbott suggested that this was a deliberate and calculated attempt to defraud the Government.

Mr. H. R. Butters stated that he was Postmaster-General. On July 27 he received a registered package from Singapore which he personally opened. Inside were four other covers.

Large Number of Letters
Taking the enclosed covers one by one, the first known as No. 495 "B" contained 82 letters. The second No. 621 "B" had 60 letters. The total postage on the first cover was 85 cents with 20 additional cents for registration. The postage on the second was 75 cents and 20 cents registration.

The third over, No. 556 "A", contained 18 letters, the cost of postage being 25 cents with 20 additional cents for registration, while the last package, No. 6084, which was posted at a Sub Post office, contained 35 letters. The postage was 45 cents with 20 cents registration.

On the outside cover of these four envelopes were the addresses of the senders, the first envelope bearing the Ping On Chan Boarding House address of No. 20 "B" Connaught Road, H.K., the second being No. 61 "B" Connaught Road Central, and also bearing the name Ping On Chan Boarding House.

While the third and fourth were King Sang-chen of No. 68 and 69 Connaught Road, Central, respectively.

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SUNDAY:—**"LAST DAYS OF POMPEII"**

Mr. McCallum called both his witnesses (the two defendants who appeared in court) and both gave corroborative evidence, denying any knowledge of the registered packages or of their contents. They had neither given instructions or authority to any persons to use their names in this connection.

PUNCTIVE ACTION IN PALESTINE

Jerusalem, To-day.—Eight Arabs were killed and many others wounded during a bombardment carried out by a squadron of the British Air Force near Nablus, as a reprisal for the recent outrages. The city of Nablus was fined collectively a sum of \$5,000 for aiding the marauders.—Trans-Ocean Service.